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THE
VESTRY BOOK
OF
KINGSTON PARISH

MATHEWS COUNTY, VIRGINIA
(until May 1, 1791, Gloucester County)

1679-1796

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in the field of historical investigation, whereby

he has made all serious students of

Virginia's history his debtors,

this volume is

with gratitude and great respect

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by

The EDITOR

Preface

The MS. volume hereinafter reproduced contains the earliest records of Kingston Parish, Mathews County, Virginia, known to be in existence, though the parish itself can be traced back to the year 1657 [see page x], and was probably established as early as 1652. It is one of the many Vestry Books that Bishop Meade used as sources when writing his *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, and is now in the possession of the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria. Permission to transcribe and publish it was given the undersigned by the Rev. Berryman Green, D. D., LL. D., Dean of the Seminary.

The "Vestry Book" is a folio 14 inches tall by 9 inches wide, and contains 61 leaves. It is, properly speaking, not one record, but two; but at what date the two manuscripts were bound up together is not known to the present editor. The first record begins with the year 1679 (Nov. 15), and ends in 1726; it consists of 6 leaves (12 pages). The second record starts with the year 1740(?), and ends in 1796; it comprises 55 leaves (110 pages). Lying in the book, but not attached to it in any way there was discovered a small sheet of paper, 6½ inches by 5¾ inches, containing a copy of an Order of Gloucester County Court, dated Feb. 5, 1784, directing the Vestry of Kingston Parish to divide the parish into precincts for processioning, etc. A transcript of this paper will be found on page 131.

In Meade, *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, Phil., 1885, Vol. I, p. 325, occurs under the heading "Kingston Parish, Mathews County", the following:

"This was originally one of the parishes in Gloucester.

There are loose leaves of an old vestry-book, going back to the year 1677, the first of which leaves do not indicate how much older the book was. It was called the parish in North River precinct. It has a peculiarity distinguishing it from all other parishes. With the vestrymen, who were generally very few, there met a larger number of the inhabitants, who seem to have managed the affairs of the parish in conjunction.

"From 1677 to 1691 the Rev. Michael Typerios and James Bowker were ministers; but when their ministries began or ended cannot be made out. In the year 1740 the Rev. John Blacknal appears on the first page of another imperfect vestry-book. It cannot be ascertained how much of the vestry-book was lost, and how long Mr. Blacknal may have been the minister before 1740. He died in 1747 and was succeeded by the Rev. John Dixon in 1750, the Rev. John Locke having served meanwhile for three months. In the year 1770 Mr. Dixon resigned, and died in 1777. Four applicants appeared for the parish, the Revs. Thomas Baker, Thomas Field, Arthur Hamilton, and Archibald Avens, of whom Mr. Field was chosen, Mr. Baker having previously served three months. In the year 1778, Mr. Field either dying or resigning, Revs. Robert Read and William Dunlop were candidates, when the former was chosen. In the year 1784 the Rev. Thomas Hopkinson became its minister, and in the year 1789 the Rev. James McBride. In 1794 the Rev. Armistead Smith, of the old family of Smith in that part of Virginia, became the minister, being ordained by Bishop Madison."

To the foregoing recited facts, all of which Bishop Meade found in the records of Kingston Parish embodied in the two old Vestry Books published in this volume, the editor can add little of importance. However, he hopes that the following notes containing extracts from various sources may prove of some interest to students of Colonial Virginia parish history.

In *Hening*, Vol. I, p. 371, under date April the 26th 1652, occurs the following item, which contains, in the list of "the

names of the several Burgesses returned by the Sherriff to this Grand Assembly", the first mention of Glocester County in *Hening*:

"Glocester County

Mr. Hugh Guinne
Mr. Fra. Willis"

In *Hening*, Vol. I, pp. 373-375, under date November the 25th, 1652, occur the following items:

(1) "The names of the Burgesses for the severall Plantations.

Gloster County

Coll. Hugh Gwinne
Mr. Fra. Willis."

(2) "WHEREAS Chr. Boyse by appeale from the Governour and Councill the last court impleaded Coll. Hugh Gwinne before this Grand Assembly about certain land in Pyancatannk River, The Assembly vpon pervsall of their severall pattents and grants doe finde prioritie of title for the said Gwinne, according to former orders in the government of Sr. William Berkeley, Knt. and the last quarter court, And the plt. & defendant to beare their owne charges."

(3) "IN the difference between Mr. Peter Ranson, plt. and John Hewett and Wm. Holder, defend'ts. It is ordered by this Grand Assembly that Mr. Peter Ranson's pattent shall stand good for 1100 acres of land in Mock-Jack bay, And that Hewett and Holder be outed and decline the possession till it be made appeare void by some that shall make better right appeare, It now appearing that none pretending to it in the right of Dawber have power to question his title; 100 lb of tob'o being allowed him for costs from each of them (vizt) 100 lb. of tobacco from Holder, and 100 lb. of tobacco from Hewett, *alias* execution."

(4) "IT is ordered by the Grand Assembly, that Mr. Peter Ranson shall have and enjoy 1100 acres of Land in Mock-Jacks bay on the North River of Mock-Jacks bay on the easterne side thereof, and the other 500 acres being granted to Mr. Wm. Whitby being the first grantees by this Assembly."

On page 304 of Patten Book 4 in the Virginia Land Office, State Capitol, Richmond, Va., occurs, under the date March 15, 1657, the record of a grant to John Chapman of 250 "Acres of Land in the County of Gloucester in Kingston Parish upon the South side of Peanketank River."

In *Hening*, Vol. II, p. 552, under the date March 15, 1676-7 occurs the following item recounting the experiences suffered at the hands of Governor Sir Wm. Berkeley by one of the followers of Nathaniel Bacon, the Rebel, in Kingston Parish:

"Whereas Sands Knowles, of Kingston Parish in Gloucester county, being in rebellion against his majesty, was, in the month of October last, (then in the height of the late horrid rebellion) by virtue of a commission to major Robert Beverley, granted by the right honourable the governor, taken prisoner, and with him, divers of his goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and a shallop, seized, taken and carryed away by the said Beverley and the souldiers under his command, and presented to the right honourable the governour, then at the house of major. gen. John Custis, in Northampton county, on the Easterne shore; who, for the said Knowles his rebellious and treasonable practices, committed him to prison, and condemned all his said goods, servants, slaves, provisions, and boate, and ordered and disposed part of the same to be expended, sould, and layd out for provisions for his majesties souldiers, which was accordingly done, and gave the rest immediately to the said Beverley and his souldiers under his command for their incouragement and good service. And whereas the said knowles remains a prisoner, under bayle, to this day, to answer the crimes, rebellions and treasons by him committed against his most sacred majestie, and soe excepted out of the right honourable the governour's general pardon, bearing date the 10th of ffebruary 1676-7, and grounded upon his majesties most gracious proclamation of pardon; for the crimes, treasons and rebellions by him committed, humbly offering to renounce, acquitt, and discharge all right or claime of him the said Knowles, forever hereafter, to any or all the said goods, servants, slaves, boate

or provisions, by the said Beverley, or any souldier with him, soe taken and carried away, acknowledging the same to be justly lost (by him) and forfeited forever; his said relinquishment of the said goods, &c. was ordered to be entered upon record; and the said Knowles his petition granted, and his acknowledgement and humble submission, in open court, put upon record, to the end the King's majesties most gracious pardon may be of full force and effect to him the said Knowles, and his remaining estate, he takeing the oath of obedience and giving good bond with securities for his future good behaviour.

In the *Minutes of the Council and General Court of Colonial Virginia*, 1622-1632, 1670-1676, appears, under the date, The 15th March 1676, the following:

Whereas M^r George Seaton of Kingstone Parish in Gloucester County one of his Ma^{ties} Justices of y^e Peace being in Rebellion Against his most Sacred Ma^{ty} was in the time of the said Rebellion on or about the beginning of *november* last taken prisoner by Major Rob^t Beverley & with him divers of his Goods & P^rovisions, Seized & taken & Carried to the Right Hon^{ble} the Govern^r then Residing on the *Eastern Shore* who Com^d the Said *Seaton* - - & Condemned & disposed his goods & p^rovisions Soe Seized & - - - to the vse & Incouragem^t of his Ma^{ties} Souldiers & - - - Remained Prisoner vnder Bayle foue - - - to the said *Seaton* was by order of the R^t Hon^{ble} the Govern^r Seized & marked with the broad Arrow Butt left in the house & Possession of the said *Seaton*, vntill Convenient time for their Remouevall *And whereas* the said *Geo Seaton* did this day Make Humble Sute to the Court that he might Receive the Benefitt & mercy of his Sacred Ma^{ties} most Gracious P^rayer Praying for Releasement of his Said foure hds of Tobacco Soe Seized as aforesaid and Submissively Relinquishing all Right Claime, Title or Intrest to any the said Goods Seized or Carried away by the Said *Beverley* or his Souldiers *This Court doth order & Adjudge* the Said Goods to be by Reason of their being taken & removed in time of Rebellion wholly Lost & forfeited, Butt By Reason the

jaid fflower hoggfheads of Tobacco were only vnder Seizure & not removed that therefore the Said Seaton may make free vfe of the Same vntill it Shall be determined by his Ma^{tie} & Lords of his Hono^{ble} Councill whether the same be not forfeited by Reason of the jaid Seizure, notwithstanding the Benefitt of his mat^{ies} Graviours Pardon is vpon the Said *Seatons* Humble Petition Granted & Confirmed to him he takeing the oath of Obedience & giveing bond wth Sufficent Security for his future Good behavior."

In the *Executive Journals of the Council of Colonial Virginia*, Vol. I, pp. 23 and 24 occurs the following item:

"Middle Plantation May 25th 1682

Whereas It is represented that some ill disposed women in Gloucester County, doe persist in y^e evil and notorious riots, spoiles and great abuses and damages of cutting up Tobacco plants, in direct opposition to Lawes and Statutes in the like case made and provided and in high contempt to y^e Govern^rs Proclamation and possitive orders for preventing and suppressing all riots and outrages of y^t nature, & whereas It is signified that y^e wife of Thomas Allman and y^e wife of Richard Longest are most notoriously active in ye aforementioned wickedness and y^t y^e s^d Thomas Allman & Richard Longest doe refuse to find good security for y^e good behaviour of y^e wives of them y^e said Thomas Allman & Richard Longest Its therefore resolved & Accordingly ordered y^t L^t Coll Joⁿ Armstead do forthwith cause y^e wives of Tho: Allman & Richd Longest to be taken into safe custody & them securely to detain, & cause to appear before y^e Govern^r & Councel att Middle Plantation on y^e 30th instant to answer to what shal be objected ag^t them on his Majesties behalfe & to be proceeded ag^t as by Law in y^e like case is prescribed."

In the same volume occurs, on page 157, the following:
 "Att a Councill held at James Citty Feb^{ry} 18th 1690 [1690-91]
 John Stephens Master of the Shipp Bristoll Merch^t now in Mockjack Bay, giving an account that in this present Voyage

to this Country on the 15th December last he mett with a small French Barque belonging to Rochell in France, and came then from Keyou, who had an English Man Prisoner aboard, who they took from the said Barke but having but few Men and None of them willing to goe either for England or Virginia in the said Barque onely tooke from her two Petteraroes [Pedreroes (small guns)] three Musquetts, about seven hundred pds of Shugar, some Parretts and Parraketoos some Oranges and about seven hundred Sows [sous] and soe let her goe, On Consideration whereof It is Ord'd that the said Stephens putt the Patteraroes and Musquetts on Shore for their Ma^r use at M^r Sands Knowle's Plantation in Gloucester County, and the rest being of small value, most of the Shugar being spent at Sea, to take for the Incouragement of the Men belonging to the aforesaid Shipp."

In the *Journals of the House of Burgesses of Virginia, 1727-1734, 1736-1749* (Vol. VI), page 189, occurs the following:

"Wednesday, September 4, 1734.

A Petition of *Robert Bernard*, and *Charles Tomkies*, Gent. was presented to the House, and read; praying That Leave may be given to bring in a Bill, to dock the Intail of Two Hundred and Fifty Acres of Land, whereof the said *Robert Bernard* is seised in Tail Male, in the Parish of *Petsworth*, in the County of *Glocester*, and Vesting the same in *Charles Tomkies*; and to settle Four Hundred Acres of Land, in the Parish of *Kingstone*, in the County aforesaid, whereof the said *Charles Tomkies* is seised in Fee, of greater Value, upon the said *Robert Bernard*, to the same Uses, according to an Agreement made between them

Ordered, That Leave be given to bring in a Bill, according to the prayer of the said Petition: And that M^r *Francis Willis*, M^r *Armistead*, M^r *Martin*, and M^r *Henry Willis*, do prepare and bring in the same"

In *Hening*, Vol. XIII (1789-1792), page 162, occurs the following:

"CHAP XLI

An act for dividing the county of Gloucester

(Passed the 16th of December, 1790)

SECT. I. BE *it enacted by the General Assembly*, That from and after the first day of May next, the county of Gloucester shall be divided into two distinct counties, that is to say, all that part of the said county lying to the eastward of a line, to begin at the mouth of North river, thence up the meanders thereof to the mill, thence up the eastern branch of the millpond to the head of Muddy creek, thence down the said creek to Piankatank river, shall be one distinct county, and called and known by the name of Mathews, and the residue of the said county shall retain the name of Gloucester".

The foregoing references to Kingston Parish, or to individuals more or less connected with that parish, are all that the editor has been able to find in the Colonial Virginia records in Richmond. It is to be regretted that they are so scanty. For the history of the parish subsequent to the period embraced in this volume, the student is referred to Meade, *Old Churches, Ministers and Families of Virginia*, Vol. I, pp. 325-327.

With regard to the name of the incumbent of Kingston Parish from 1680 to 1687 a few words here will, perhaps, not be out of place.

It will be noted above that Bishop Meade speaks of the Rev. Michael Typerios as having been one of two ministers of Kingston Parish between 1677 and 1691. Now the transcriber is of the opinion (which he advances, he hopes, with modesty) that the name of the minister in question was Zyperus and not Typerios. In support of this opinion he refers, first, to the photograph copy of page 3 of the MS. vestry book (facing page 5 of the printed volume), where the *autograph* signature of the clergyman appears, and, second, to the fact that in the years 1667 and 1683 a Rev. Mr. Superias (or Superious) preached on occasion in Christ Church Parish, Mid-

dlesex County (the adjoining parish to Kingston), as we know from references to him to be found on pages 11 and 40 of *The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia, 1663-1767*. The clerk of the vestry might easily have written Superias or Superious for the name Zyperus (which he must often have heard pronounced but had perhaps never seen written), but no ordinary man could conceivably confuse two names as unlike in sound as Typerios and Superias.

The specimen pages of the MS. used to illustrate the volume are reproductions of photographs made from the original by Dementi, of Richmond. It is hoped that they will prove of interest as illustrating peculiarities of handwriting before the year 1700 (pages 3, 4 and 5) and common forms of abbreviation of the period between 1683 and 1751, some of which cannot be accurately reproduced in print (pages 3, 4, 5 and 30), as well as for other reasons. On page 3 can be seen the autograph signature of the Minister in 1687, while on pages 4, 5 and 46 appear the autograph signatures of many of the Vestrymen and Inhabitants between 1687 and 1760.

Blanks in the MS. which were left by the Clerk to be filled in later but were never filled in are indicated in the printed volume by blank spaces. Gaps in the MS. resulting from tearing, rubbing, or other kinds of intentional or unintentional mutilation are indicated by blank spaces enclosed in brackets. Unintentional omissions in the MS. and all mistakes of whatever kind are, as far as was found possible, reproduced in the printed volume as made. The number of unintentional errors made was very great. Examples of some of the more glaring ones can be found on pages 58 (line 4; where the last name of Captain Gwyn Reade was omitted) and 92 (last line; where the character & was written for the proper name Ann).

Pages in the MS. are indicated in the printed volume by Arabic numerals enclosed in parentheses.

In the indexes the number of times a name or a topic occurs on a page is indicated by a small Arabic numeral above, and to the right, of the numeral indicating the number of the page.

Although the editor has read the proof four times, in every case using the original MS. as his guide, he is aware of the fact that in works of this kind some mistakes are inevitable. He hopes that the number of such mistakes is small. Any one wishing to check up on the work can do so by comparing the printed volume with the original MS. (in the Library of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, at Alexandria) or with the photostat copy of the original on file in the Archives Department of the Virginia State Library, in Richmond.

To his son, Edward Pye Chamberlayne, for material aid in preparing the indexes, and to Mr. Edwin L. Levy, of the Old Dominion Press, to whose helpful suggestions and unwearied interest the mechanical excellence of the book is entirely due, the editor wishes to acknowledge his great indebtedness.

If this volume serves to awaken further interest in the preservation and reproduction in print of the parish records of Colonial Virginia, the editor will feel more than repaid for his trouble in preparing it for the printer.

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Richmond, Virginia,
August 31, 1929.

The Vestry Book

...of...

Kingston Parish

Mathews County, Virginia, 1679-1796

[]e
Pish y^e North At a meeting [] Vestrymen & []
[]ver p^rcinct Novembr y^e 15th 1679

Coll Richd Dudley
P^rsent M^r James Ranfon
M^r James Hill Vestrymen

M^r George Burge
M^r George Lejcaillet Neighbour []
The mark I of y^e Said []
Thomas Bayley then p^rsent
The mark H of
Daniell Hunter

It was & is agreed y^t Whereas there hath beene diverse Tymbr Trees f[] & made use of for y^e Reparacon of the North-River Chapell w^{ch} trees grew up [] y^e Land of M^r Thomas Tabb & was more then amounted to y^e Said Tabbs propo^r[] It is agreed, Ordered, Consented to, & Determined by y^e S^a Vestry y^t on Condicon Sd Tabb shall fully remitt all Claimes for & Concerning all Timbr already f[] of his for y^e use afores^a that there shall be noe more tymbr trees fallen up[] Lands of y^e sd Tabb for y^e tyme to come untill y^e rest of y^e ¶ishoners in t[] Courfe have contributed

proportionably as much for y^e use aforesd as he y^e sd []
hath done already In witnesse whereof y^e Vestry of y^e p^rcinct
of y^e North-Ri[] Chappell aforesd have hereunto Sett
their hands y^e day & Yeare above Specefie[]

Signed by y^e Vestry & Neighbourhood as abo[]
are Named

Vera Cop^a Tes^t George Axe C Vestry K[]
1679

Kingstone At a meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabi-
tants of y^e p^rcinct of North River Octob^r
y^e 14th 1680

M^r Mychaell Zyperus Clerg

M^r Sands Knowles

M^r George Lefcaillet

p^rsent M^r James Ranfon

M^r Jn^o Seayres

M^r George Burge

Thomas Bayley

Vestrymen

Inhabitan[]

Bought of M^r James Ranfon for y^e Chappels
use a great Church Bible & two Larg Common
prayer books cost

100[]^{1b} ^{to}

Bought of M^r Jn^o Seayres a Chest to keepe
y^e S^d Books cost

1[]

Ordered by y^e full consent of y^e abovesd Vestry & Inhabi-
tants y^t M^r James [] be payd out of y^e p^rcinct One
thousand pds of Tob^o for a great Bible & two [] Common
prayer Bookes for y^e use of y^e North-River Chappell & y^t
he colle[] himselfe as Churchwarden

Ordered y^t M^r Jn^o Seayes be allowed for a Chest wth a
lock & key to it [] keepe y^e abovesd Bookes One
hundred pds of Tob^o to be pd him this p^rsent Co[] by y^e
Churchwarden of y^e abovesd p^rcinct

Ordered y^t Tho Clapp be pd five hundred pds of Tob^o &
cask for keepin[] Cleane y^e Chappell & y^e Chappell Yard

M^{am} This Vestry book given by m^r Jn^o Seayres for y^e use

of y^e p^rcinct of y^e Nor[] River y^e day of y^e said Vestry

The Charge of y^e Sd p^rcinct being 1630th of Tob^o divided by 119 Tyth[]b[] 13th of Tob^o $\frac{1}{2}$ pole & 83 being y^e fraction on y^e Division is allowed [] to be 14th $\frac{1}{2}$ pole

Tes^t George Axe
1680

(2)

[] on At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants

[] y^e of y^e aforesaid p^rcinct Novemb^r y^e 2^a 1681

[]th River

[]cinct

	Mr Sands Knowles	Mr Jn ^o Seayres
Prsent	Mr James Ranson	
	Mr George Burge	Mr Charles Jones
	Vestrymen	Inhabitants

Ordered y^e Charles Jones Churchwarden of y^e North-River p^rcinct Collect three pounds of Tobacco $\frac{1}{2}$ pole of each Tythable in y^e Said p^rcinct for y^e paym^t of five hundred pounds of Tobacco & Cask this p^rsent yeare to Thomas Clapp for y^e paines he taketh upon y^e Chappell & Chappell-Yard but partly out of Charity to ye Said Clapp

The abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants have thought good to continue y^e Said Thomas Clapp in his abovesd Employ^mt & to allow him y^e aforesd quantity of tobacco

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vest. Kingston
1681

At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y^e Northern p^rcinct y^e 23th of November 1682

Wee y^e Subscrib^{rs}, Vestrymen & Inhabitants of y^e abovesd p^rcinct doe Ord^r Jn^o Billups Churchwarden of y^e said p^rcinct to Repaire or cause to be repaired y^e Chappell belonging to

y^e said p^rcinct & w^t y^e said Billups is at Charge about y^e said Work he bring in an Acc^t thereof a^j soone as he hath done y^e Same at w^{ch} tyme ord^r shall be taken to make him full Satisfaccon accordingly

George Burge

George Lescaillet

The mark of

Daniell  Hunter

The mark of

Thomas  Bayley

M: Zyperus


James Ranfone


Sands Knowles

Rich dudley Ju^r

[] stone At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen & Inhabitants of
[] y^e Northern p^rcinct y^e 18th of Novemb^r 1682
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
M^r Sands Knowles


sent M^r James Ranson M^r George Lescaillet Inhabitant
M^r George Burge

Ordered y^e Jn^o Billups Churchwarden of y^e North River p^rcinct Collect 4th of Tob^o  pole of each Tythable in y^e said p^rcinct for y^e Satisfaccon of Thomas Clapp for keeping of y^e Chappell & y^e Chappell Yard Cleane

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestry Kingstone
1682

(3)

Kingstone At a Meeting of y^e Vestry & Inhabitants
ish North- ff of North R[] p^rcinct Octobr y^e 27th 1683
River p^rcint

sent M^r James Ranson M^r Rob^t Peyton
M^r Sands Knowles M^r Richd Dudley
M^r George Burge M^r Ambrosse Dudley
M^r Jn^o Billups Daniell Hunter
Tho: Bayley
Charles Jones

Vestrymen

Inhabitants

Ordered y^t m^r Jn^o Seayres Churchwarden of y^e North River p^rcinct Collect three pounds of Tob^o in y^e said p^rcinct & y^t he make good hast therein.

Ordered y^t y^e said Churchwarden pay M^r Jn^o Billups two hundred pounds of tob^o out of y^e said p^rcinct this p^rsent yeare.

Ordered y^t y^e said Churchwarden pay Thomas Clapp two hundred & twenty pounds of tob^o & y^t he make him Speedy paym^t.

Creditt Given to Thomas Clapp for Thirty pounds of tobacco to be afsejssed on y^e next yeares Levy in y^e sd p^rcinct

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestry Kingstone

Kingstone At a Meeting of y^e Vestry & Sevall of y^e
 ¶ish North fs Inhabitants of y^e North River ¶p^rcinct Oc-
 River p^rcinct tob^r y^e 19th 1684

M^r James Ranson

M^r Sands Knowles

M^r Jn^o Billups

Vestrymen

M^r Rob^t Peyton

M^r Jn^o Seayres

M^r Richd Dudley Jun

Inhabitants

The Vestrymen & Sevall of y^e Inhabitants of y^e abovesd p^rcinct did y^e day above nam[] Order mee as Clark of Vestry to Impower M^r Richd Dudley Jun y^e p^rsent Churchwarden [] Vertue hereof to Collect & pay Conveniently this p^rsent ¶ish Levy unto Thomas Clapp 250^{lb} of [] for his Service to y^e Chappell besides 30^{lb} of tob^o due to him since last yeare being in all 280^{lb} [] tob^o w^{ch} is two pds of tob^o ¶ pole throughout y^e p^rcinct & two pds of tob^o still due to y^e sd Tho[] Clapp on Creditt till next yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl Vestr Kingstone

The 27th of June 1687

The Day abovesd M^r Mychaell Zyperus Minestr did prom-

ife to give fitt & Convenient Glafse for y^e Window at y^e
Gable End of y^e New Chappell to be built for y^e Northern
p^rcinc[]

In witnefsse whereof he hath hereunto Sett his hand

M: Zyperus

Kingto[]

(4)

Kingstone Parrish At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen &
North River p^rcinct fs Inhabitants of y^e abovesd y^e 11th of
Octobr 1687

	Coll Rich ^d Dudley	M ^r Richd Dudley
	M ^r James Ranfon	M ^r Ambrose Dudley
p ^r sent	M ^r Sands Knowles	M ^r W ^m Elliott
	M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r Tho: Neale
	Vestrymen	M ^r Edd Sadler
		Inhabitants

Ordered by y^e abovesd Vestrymen & Inhabitants That M^r
Rob^t Elliott Churchwarden of y^e abovesd p^rcinct doe forth-
with Collect of each Tithable p^rson in y^e sd p^rcinct 162^{lb}
of good Sweet fented Tobacco for & towards y^e building of a
New Chappell in y^e above p^rcinct & for other Necefsary
Charges thereabout; And y^e y^e sd Churchwarden Satisfye &
pay unto Thomas Clapp for Cleaning y^e Chappell 276^{lb} of tob^o
out of y^e sd Collection in Convenient Time to his Content &
further y^e y^e sd Churchwarden Do detaine & Secure the Re-
maining Summe of tob^o (after Collection thereof is made) in
his hands, untill further ord^r be Given him by y^e abovesd Ves-
trymen & Inhabitants at their next Meeting about their dis-
pojeing thereof.

The Charg Levyed is as followeth viz^t

To Tobacco for y ^e Workmen	20,000 ^{lb} Tob ^o
To Tob ^o for Glafse	1,000
Tobacco for Cask	1080
To Tho Clapp	276

The Totall Summe is

22356 being

Divided by 138 Tythables comes to 162^{lb} of tob^o ¶ pole from each Tythable ¶ son

Test George Axe Cl Vestr Kingstone

Kingstone At a Meeting appointed for y^e Inhabitants
 ¶ ish ¶ of y^e North River p^rcinct y^e 9th day of Oc-
 tob^r An^o 1690


M^r James Boker Cler

	M ^r James Ranfon	M ^r W ^m Elliott
	M ^r Sands Knowles	M ^r Rob ^t Elliott
p ^r sent	M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r Richd Dudley
	M ^r Henry Wareing	M ^r Tho Neale
	M ^r Rob ^t Peyton	M ^r Daniell Hunter
	M ^r Tho Ballard	

Whereas y^e Gentlemen of y^e Vestry & Inhabitants of y^e above p^rcinct have y^e day abovesd Afsefsed 200^{lb} of Tob^o ¶ pole to be pd by each Tythable ¶ son being in Numb^r in y^e sd p^rcinct 139 And M^r James Ranfon & M^r Henry Wareing haveing (by y^e Request of Gentlemen abovenamed) taken y^e Collection thereof It is therefore Ordered y^t evy Tythable ¶ son in y^e above p^rcinct pay y^e sd 200^{lb} of Tobacco ¶ pole upon demand to y^e sd M^r James Ranfon & M^r Henry Wareing for & toward y^e paym^t for y^e new Brick Chappell now in building in y^e aforesd ¶ cinct And if any ¶ son concerned shall Refuse to pay the Equall ¶ portion to y^e above Collecto^{rs} or to bring it to fuch houfes as Shall be appointed Then y^e sd Collecto^{rs} have hereby power to make diftraint

Ordered y^t 5^{lb} of tob^o ¶ C^t be deducted for Cask out of y^e Sum^e Levyed by y^e above ord^{rs}

Ordered y^t Daniell Hunter be pd out of y^e tob^o to be Collected 500^{lb} of tob^o & Cask for y^e building of y^e Bridge at y^e head of y^e North River

James Ranfone	Robert Peyton
Robt Elliott	Sands Knowles
Tho: Neale	Henry Waring
The mark of	Jn ^o Billups
Daniell  Hunter	[] ^m Elliott*
Thomas Ballard	

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At y^e aforesd Meeting y^e Gentlemen then p^rsent did willingly Consent y^t there shall be [] to George Axe Clark for keeping of y^e Vestry book & other paines by him taken at y^e laying y^e next Chappells Levy 500^{lb} of tobacco & Cask

The Copy of Rob^t Trews Ingagm^t

I Rob^t True in y^e yeare 1689 have now Built y^e North River Bridge, & have recd pay of Daniell Hunter these Lines shall be his discharg And further I doe oblige my Selfe mee my heires Exec^{rs} or asignes to y^e Gentlemen of y^e Vestry wth warrantry to keep y^e sd Bridge in good Repaire for y^e full Tearme of Seaven yeares beginning from y^e date above mentioned as witnes my hand this p^rsent Moneth of December y^e 21th 1690

Testes

George Gillett
Mathew Swanfone

The mark of

Rob^t  TrueVera Cop^a Tes^t George Axe C^l vestr Kingstone

Kingstone Parish

At a Meeting of y^e Vestrymen &
Inhabitants of y^e abovesd p^rcinct y^e
19th day of Novemb^r 1691

North River p^rcinct

Cap^t James Ranfone
Cap^t Sands Knowles
Cap^t Henry Waring
M^r Jn^o Billups

M^r Rob^t Peyton
M^r Richd Dudley
M^r Ambrofse Dudley
M^r W^m Elliott

Vestrymen M^r Daniell Hunter

Inhabitants

* An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jn^o (Junior).—C. G. C.

[illegible]

Thos. (Copy of) Rab^l Brown. 1899.

[illegible]

This mark of

Widow George Gibb

Matthew Swanson of Vera Cruz to George A. King of Costa Rica

15
 Kingston Parish. At a Meeting of the Vestryman & Inhabitants of the above Parish
 on the 14th day of November 1831 at 10 o'clock P.M.

Capt. Samuel Buzzell
 Capt. David Knowles
 Capt. Henry Baring
 (1800)

Washington

Mr John D
Mr Andrew
Mr Ebenezer
Mr Daniel

Spring
 D. S. Day }
 2nd
 Hunter

History

Adm. & Ind. Dub. Roberts pay into George's Tr. Bank of £1000 of the
£10000 of the 1st March 1801 and the 1st of 1802

At a Meeting for ye North River Printed Oct^r 9th 1692

Capt James Lawrence
 Lieut Sands Knowles
 Edw. J. Poylan
 Mr. J. B. Cump

Mr. G. B. 9

W. B. Ballard
Tombkins
Traler

[illegible]

Ordered to send Chelva out of & above table to be finished 18 088 of table
last drawing for much is sufficient when shall be out to finish actual work is
further to be done in present appall

The gift of lands of 1000 acres, some 1000 acres, given them for the purpose of raising
to build a new for all families in reference of the people.

Land Knowledge

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John Phillips.
1877

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Thomas B. B. B.

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D.

Ordered y^e m^r Edmd Roberts pay unto George Axe Clark of y^e Vestry 500^{lb} of tob^o & Cask in y^e Northern P^recint this p^rsent Cropp

At a Meeting for y^e North River P^recint Octobr y^e 9th 1692

P ^r sent	Cap ^t James Ransone	M ^r W ^m Elliott
	Cap ^t Sands Knowles	M ^r Thomas Ballard
	M ^r Rob ^t Peyton	M ^r Hum: Tomkins
	M ^r Jn ^o Billups	M ^r Tho: Neale

Ordered That M^r Rob^t Elliott Churchwarden Collect 138^{lb} of tob^o in y^e North River p^recint of each Tythable P^rson there for y^e Satisfaccon of m^r Edw^d Malen y^e last paym^t for building y^e Chappell belonging to y^e sd p^recint & for y^e paym^t of Charles Sanders Sextone y^e Sume of 300^{lb} tob^o for the Cleaning y^e sd Chappell to this day & y^e Remaind^r being 120^{lb} of tob^o to be pd to y^e sd Sanders he giveing y^e p^recinc[] Creditt for it y^e next yeare

Ordered to m^r Edw^d Malyn out of y^e above tob^o to be Collected 18088^{lb} of Tob^o & Cask Saveing foe much as y^e Churchwarden shall be out to finish what work is further to be done in y^e Chappell

The Inhabitants of y^e Above p^recint have given their free Consent y^t Cap^t James Ranson to build a pew for his family in y^e Chancell of y^e Chappell

James Ransone	Rob ^t Elliott
Sands Knowles	Rich dudley iuno ^r
Robert Peyton	Thomas: Ballard
Jn ^o Billups	John Butler
W ^m Elliott*	Tho: neale

The mark of
W^m H Hurdle

* An illegible abbreviation follows this name. Probably it is Jno^r (Junior).—C. G. C.

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At a Meeting for y^e aforesd p^rinct
 rth River
 p^rinct ff y^e 8th of Novembr 1693

Cap^t Sands Knowles M^r Rob^t Elliott
 p^rsent M^r Jn^o Billups Inhabitants
 M^r W^m Elliott M^r Tho: Ballard

Ordered to Charles Sanders one pound of Tob^o p^r pole in
 y^e p^rinct being in all 131^{lb} tob^o to be paid to y^e Sd Sanders
 by y^e Churchwarden of y^t p^rinct

Charles Sanders is to give y^e p^rinct Creditt for 51^{lb} tob^o
 next yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry Kingst[]

M^r Edw^d Maylen Dr Acc^{tt} 1692

To yo ^r bill to Cap ^t Ranson	2186
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Peyton	2853
To yo ^r note to Jn ^o Butler	1700
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Peyton	735
To yo ^r note to Cap ^t Knowles	975
To 2 hh ^{ds} Tob ^o yo ^r boate foott*	1150
To tob ^o p ^d yo ^u p ^r W ^m Robarts	600
To tob ^o p ^d Law: Parrott	30
To tob ^o p ^d m ^r Axe p ^r Sefsions	70
To yo ^r note to m ^r Bayler	666
To tob ^o p ^d Burton p ^r p ^r owell	133
To tob ^o p ^r 16846 at 5 p ^r C ^t	844
To tob ^o due from m ^r Gregory	1242
To yo ^r note to Sefsions	1300
To yo ^r note to m ^r Todd	1050
To tob ^o p ^d Tho: Hamon	169
To 3 hh ^{ds} Tob ^o	1860

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* This word was difficult to decipher. It may be brott.—C. G. C.

To ball due to m^r Maylen 525

18088

⌘ Contra C^r 1692

By yo^r Crd^t 18088

Recd y^e abovesd Acc^{tt} this

19th of 7^{ber} 1693

⌘ mee E^a Maylen

Test W^m Robarts

This is a true Coppy of y^e Acc^{tt} of y^e last paym^t to m^r Edw^a Maylen given mee by m^r Rob^t Elliott late Churchwarden of y^e North River p^rcinct about y^e Brick Chappell there lately finished

Test George Axe Cl vestry

North River . . . At a Meeting for y^e sd P^rcinct Octob^r
P^rcinct . . . 16th 1694

	Cap ^t James Ranfone	M ^r Rich ^d Dudley
	Cap ^t Sands Knowles	M ^r Rob ^t Elliott
p ^r sent	M ^r J ⁿ ^o Billups	Edm ^a Roberts
	M ^r Amb ^l Dudley	Humphry Tomkins
	M ^r W ^m Elliott	W ^m Tomkins
		Inhabitants

There are 135 Tythables this year

Ordered y^t James Hill Churchwarden Collect one pound of Tob^o ⌘ pole of each Tythable in []^e above P^rcinct & pay y^e Same to Charles Sanders who hath C^r for 14[£] of tob^o ag^t next yeare

Ordered y^t y^e Churchwarden pay 1080[£] of good Tob^o to Cap^t James Ranfone who hath promised to give y^e P^rcinct bills of Exchang for y^e Same at 10^s ⌘ C^t That therewith there may be bought a Pulpett Cloath & Cushion for y^e Chap- pell belonging to y^e above p^rcinct & y^t James Hill Church- warden upon y^e Rec^{tt} of y^e sd Bills doe (wth y^e first Con-

veniency) send for y^e sd Ornam^t of a Green Colour wth these letters underwritten wrought on y^e Pulpett Cloath & y^t y^e sd Church warden discharg y^e sd Cap^t Ranfone in y^e behalfe of y^e above p^rcinct upon y^e Receipt of y^e sd Bills of Exchang.

The Letters to be wrought on y^e Pulpett Cloath are

x K x

x N x P x

Ordered y^t y^e above Churchwarden Collect Eight pounds of Tob^o of Every Tythabl[] []son in y^e above p^rcinct for y^e due p^rformance of y^e aforesd Order

Test George Axe Cl vestr Kingsto[]

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North River At a Meeting for y^e P^rcinct November
P^rcinct y^e [] 1695

 Cap^t James Ranfone
p^rsent Cap^t Sands Knowles & other y^e Inhabitants
 M^r Jn^o Billups

Ordered y^t W^m Tomkins Churchwarden Collect two pounds of Tob^o p^r pole of each Tythable in y^e p^rcinct & pay y^e Same to Charles Sanders for Cleaning y^e Chappell

Charles Sanders is to give y^e p^rcinct Creditt for 54[£] Tob^o y^e next yeare

Test George Axe Cl vestr King []

North River Att a Meeting for y^e p^rcinct Octob^r y^e 4th 1696
P^rcinct p^rsent The Vestrymen & Consent of other y^e
 Inhabitants

Ordered That M^r W^m Elliott Churchwarden Collect 1½[£] tob^o of each Tythable in y^e above P^rcinc[] & y^t he pay to m^r Shropshire 25[£] tob^o & to Charles Sanders 168[£] tob^o

Charles Sanders is to give y^e P^rcinct Creditt for 22[£] tob^o y^e next Yeare

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry Kingstone

North River At y^e North River Chappell y^e 3^d day of
 ¶cinct Js Novemb^r 1700

The Churchwarden of y^e above p^rcinct was y^e day & year
 aforesd Impowred to Collect one pound of Tobacco ¶ pole
 for to pay y^e Sextone Jn^o Lucas there being 262 Tythables
 in y^t P^rcinct

Tes^t George Axe Cl vestry King[]
 To Humphry Tompkins
 Churchwarden

North River Att A Meting for North River ¶cinct
 ¶cinct Js October y^e 17th 1701

¶sent y^e Gent men of y^e Vestry

Ordred that y^e Church warden of y^e Above ¶cinct doe
 forthwith Collect one pound of Tobac^o: ¶ pole thro out []
 S^d ¶cinct for y^e payment of y^e Sexton Thomas Neele & for
 to pay John Luckus 38^{1b} of Tobac^o which was de[] him last
 yeare Thare being this yeare within y^e s^d ¶cinct 149 tithables

To Henry Bolton Churchwardon

Tes^t Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Ki ¶ish

North River Att A Meeting Att y^e North River Chapell
 ¶cinct Js November y^e 23^d 1702

Capt: Ambros Dudly Vestry man

	M ^r Richard Dudly	M ^r W ^m Elliott
¶sent	M ^r James Ranson: Ju ^r	M ^r Robert Elliott
	M ^r John Coott	M ^r W ^m Tomcins
	M ^r Charles Jones	M ^r Humphre Tomcins
		In habitants

Ordered that y^e Church Wardin of y^e Afore S^d ¶cinct doe
 forth with Collect two pounds of tobacco ¶ pole throu out

It was this day Concluded on by y^e Gen^t Men above saide
for to Levey Tobacco for y^e Repairing of y^e Chaple afore sd
which was accordenly done in manner following

[]dered	lb Tobacco
To pay for the shingles being 11000 att 15 ^s ¶ thousand	1650
To pay W ^m Creedle for Covering y ^e sd Chaple	1300
To pay for 11000 Nayles	385
To Sallery & Cask att 13 ¶cent	433
To pay Thomas Neele Sexton	200
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	3968

The S^a Som of 3968^{lb} Tobacco being Leveied through y^e
S^a ¶cinct Coms to 23^{lb} ¶ pole there being in y^e S^a ¶cinct this
¶sent yeare on whome this is Levied 172 Tithables

Tes^t Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestry Kingston ¶ish

An accot of the Disposing of y^e a bove S^a: 3968^{lb}: of Tob^o

To Shingls & Nailles	1574		
To More Nailles	123		
To Wasting	136 in y ^e 2 H ^b sold to Cap ^t Lewes		
To y ^e Carpenters Worck	1300		
To Wastedg	168 in y ^e 2 H ^b p ^a y ^e Carpenter		
To Sallery & Cask	433		
To y ^e Sexton	200		
To Stoped by y ^e Carpenter			
W ^m C ^r	018	Debt ^r Side is	3968
	<hr/>	Contr ^r C ^r is	3964
	3952		
To Credett to y ^e Church-			
warden	12		
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	3964		

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Ki[]

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North River Att A Meeting for y^e S^a ¶cinct on y^e
¶cinct Js 24th of Novmber 1705

	Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	Vestry Man
	M ^r William Elliott	
	M ^r Robert Elliott	
¶sent	M ^r Richard Dudley	In Habitants
	M ^r James Ransone S ^r	
	M ^r William Tompcins	
	M ^r Thomas Peyton	

Ordered that Cap^t Ambros Dudley Church Worden doe forth with Collect 2^{1b} of Toba[] ¶ pole of Each Tithable ¶son within y^e S^d ¶scinct for y^e Satisfaction of y^e Sexton & to pay for 100 foot of Planck for y^e use of y^e Chapell; there being in y^e S^d ¶[] this ¶sent yeare 172 tithes which Cums to 344^{1b} Tobacco

Ordered To pay M ^r Neele Sexton	200
To pay for planck	100
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	300

Mor Credett due 44^{1b} Tob^o

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Kison ¶

North River

¶scinct

1706

Ordered that Coll James Ransone Churchwarden doe Collect One pound of Tobacco ¶ pole of Each tithable ¶son within ye sd ¶scinct for y^e paymen[] of y^e Sexton there being in y^e sd ¶scinct this year 176 Tiths which Cums to []

Credett Due to y^e ¶inct 20^{1b} Tob^o Ordered to pay M^r Neele 200^{1b}

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vestry Kingston ¶ish

North River

¶scinct ff

1707

Ordered that M^r Peter Ransone do forthwith Collect 1^{1b} Tob^o ¶ pole throug[] y^e said ¶scinct for y^e satesfaction of y^e Sexton there being in y^e S^d Pscinct this [] 166 Tiths ordered to pay M^r Th^o Neale Sexton 186^{1b} Tob^o
Credett due to M^r Neale 14^{1b} Tob^o

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^t Kings' Parish

North River

Parish 1708

Ordered that M^r William Elliott Churchwarden do Collect one pound of Tob^o p[] Through y^e S^a Parish for y^e Satisfaction of y^e Sexton there being in y^e S^a Parish this year 169 Tiths Ordered to pay M^r Th^o Neale Sexton 169th Tob^o

Credett due to M^r Neale 45th Tob^o

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r King^s Parish

North River

Parishes Js 1709

Ordered that M^r Robert Elliott Churchwarden do Collect too pounds & hal[] of Tobacko p^o pole of Each Tithable Person within y^e S^a Parishes for y^e Satisfaction of y^e Sexton & other y^e Parish Creditors there being within y^e S^a Parishes y^e Present yeare 168 Tithables

lb Tob^o

To pay W^m Smith for too Casements 200

To pay Th^o Neale Sexton 200

To pay Th^o Neale on a Reares 45

445

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^t Kings^t Parish

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[] Att a meeting on y^e 30th of September 1710

[] Parish

Cap^t Ambros Dudley

Present M^r Peter Ransone

M^r Robert Elliott

Ordered That Cap^t Ambros Dudley Churchwarden do Collect one pound & halfe of Tobako of Each Tithable Person within y^e S^a Parish: & To pay Mary Neale Sexton Too hundred pounds of Tobako & to keepe ye Rest in his Hands

tell next yeare there Being in y^e S^d ¶scincts y^e yeare 167 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vest^r Kings^t pish

[]rth River ¶ at a meeting on y^e 13th day of September
[]ct 1711

	Capt Ambros Dudley	
¶sent	m ^r Robert Elliott	Vestrymen
	m ^r Peter Ransone	

Ordered that M^r Peter Ransone do Collect one pound & halfe of Tobacko ¶ pole of Each Tithable ¶son with In y^e Said ¶scinct & to pay William Tompkins Sexton Too hundred pounds of tobaco & to leve y^e Rest In William Tompkins hands tell next yeare there being in y^e Said ¶scinct this yeare 163 Tithables

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r Vest^r Kings^t ¶ish

[]orth River At a meeting on y^e 14th day of octo-
[]scinct ¶s ber 1712 ¶sent Cap^t Ambros Dudley
& M^r Robert Elliott Vest Me

Ordered	lb Tob
to pay Cap ^t Thomas Todd for a box of Leed Sawder & glafs	300
to pay M ^r Richard Jueson for mending y ^e Chapell windows	250
to pay M ^r Tomkins for his trouble & afsistance	100
to pay William Tomkins Sexton	200
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	850

Co^r C^r

by Cap ^t Ambros Dudley	50 th Tob ^e
by M ^r William Tomkins	44
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94

94

[]e whole Charge being 756 th Tob ^e which	756
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devided by 151 y^e number of tithables this yeare Coms to 5th
tob^e ¶ pole M^r Robert Elliott being Churchwarden [] is
year is ordered to Collect y^e Same

Tes^t Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestry Kingst ¶ish

North River Att A meeting on y^e 30th day of September
¶scinct 1713 by y^e vestry Men of y^e S^a ¶Scinct

Ordered That Cap^t Ambros Dudley do Collect 2 pounds of
Tobacko ¶ pole of Each Tithable ¶son within y^e S^a ¶scinct
there being in y^e S^a ¶scinct this yeare 152 Tithables

lb Tob^e

To pay William Tomkins Sexton 200

Tob^e due to Cap^t Dudley To pay Henry Bolton 118

318

Test Henry Bolton Cl^r vest^r Kings ¶ish

North River Att A Meeting on y^e 7th day of February
¶scinct 17 14/15 presant Cap^t Ambros Dudley & M^r
Robert Elliott Ves^r M[]

Ordered that 2 pounds of Tobaco ¶ pole be Levied Through
the S^a ¶scinct & to pay y^e Same as followeth in there b[] in
y^e S^a ¶scinct 146 Tithables

To pay William Tompkins Sexton 200

To pay Cap^t Ambros Dudley 14

Tes^t Hen: Bolton Cl^r ves^r King ¶[]

(11)

W[] Tom D^r

To old acco

To y^e pay^t

At a vestry he'd ye 29th of Sep-
tember 1715 at y^e Eastermost River
Church

— Ordered that One pound of To-
224 bako ¶ pole be Collected Through

Credet ꝥ sa ¹¹	200	the Nor[] River Prscinct & y ^e
	—	Same payd unto William Tompkins
Due to ꝥcinct	24	Sexton. There being [] S ^a
		ꝥscinct this present yeare 146 Tith-
		ables: Tes ^{ts} Henry Bolton Cl ^r ves-
		try Kings ꝥis[]
W ^m Tom D ^{tr} to old		At a vestry held y ^e 2 ^a of october
acco ^t	24	1716 for y ^e Parish of Kingston
To y ^e years pay ^t	157	Ordered that one pound of To-
	—	bako ꝥ pole be Collected through
	181	y ^e North Ri[] Prscinct & the
By Cred ^t : y ^e years		Same payd unto William Tomp-
Sal ^r	200	kings Sexton there being in y ^e []
	—	Prscinct this present yeare 157 Tith-
Due to W ^m Tom	19	ables: Tes ^t Henry Bolton Cl ^r ves ^r
		Kings ꝥ[]
W ^m Tom De ^{tr}	312	At a meeting of y ^e North River
	—	ꝥcinct Vestry Men on y ^e 25 th of
Cred ^t ꝥ Sal ^r	200	November 1717
C ^r ꝥ last acco ^t	019	Ordered that two pounds of To-
	—	bako ꝥ pole be Collected by M ^r
	219	John Tabb Churchwar[] Through
	—	y ^e Said ꝥcinct & y ^e Same payd un-
W ^m Tom Det ^r		to William Tompkins Sexton there
to y ^e ꝥScinct	93	be[] In y ^e S ^a ꝥscinct this pres-
		ent year 156 Tithables; Te st Henry
		Bolton Cl ^r ves ^{tr} Ki ^s ꝥ[]
W ^m Tom De ^{tr} to	149	At A Meetin ^s of y ^e Vestry Men
To last yeare	93	of the North River ꝥScinct on y ^e
	—	29 th of September 17[]
	242	Ordered that M ^r John Tabb
Credet ꝥ Sal ^r	200	Church warden do Collect one
	—	pound of Tobako [] Pole of Each
		Tithable ꝥson Through y ^e S ^a
Due to y ^e ꝥsci ^t	42	ꝥcinct & to pay y ^e Same unto Wil-

liam Tompkins Sexton there being
in y^e S^a ¶scinct this present year
149 Tithable[]

Tes^t Henry Bolton

Cl^r ves^{tr} King^s ¶ish

W ^m Tomp Det ^r	306	At A Meeting of y ^e Vestry Men
To last years acco ^t	42	of y ^e North River ¶cinct on y ^e 29 th
—	—	of 7ber 17[]
	348	Ordered that M ^r Robert El-
	—	liott Churchwarden do Collect two
Cred by Sal ^r	200	pounds of Tobak[] Pole of Each
—	—	Tithable ¶son through y ^e S ^a
Due to y ^e ¶cinct	148	¶scinct & to pay y ^e Same unto
		Willia[] Tompkins Sexton there
		being in y ^e S ^a ¶cinct this present
		year 153 Tithables

Tes^{ts} Henry Bolton

Cl^r vest^r Kings ¶[]

W ^m Tomp Det ^r	154	At A Meeting of y ^e Vestry
To last years acco ^t	148	Men of y ^e North River ¶cinct
—	—	on y ^e 29 th of September 1720
	302	Ordered that M ^r Robert El-
C ^r ¶ Salery	200	liott Churchwarden do Collect
—	—	one pound of Tobako ¶ Pole
Due to y ^e ¶cinct	102	of Each Tithable ¶son through
		y ^e S ^a ¶cinct & to pay y ^e Same
		to William Tompkins Sexton
		there being in y ^e S ^a ¶Scinct this
		¶sent year 154 Tithables

Tes^{ts} Henry Bolton

Cl^r Vest^r Kings^t ¶ish

W ^m Tomp D ^r to	168	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestry
to last years acco ^t	102	Men of y ^e North River ¶cinct
—	—	on y ^e 3 ^d of October 172[]
	270	Ordered y ^t M ^r George Dudley

C ^r ¶ Salery	200	Church Warden do Collect one
—	—	pound of Tobako [] Pole of
Due to y ^e ¶cinct	70	Each Tithable ¶son through y ^e
		S ^a ¶cinct & to pay y ^e Same to
		William Tompkins Sexton there
		being in y ^e S ^a ¶cinct this yeare
		168 Tithables

Test^s Henry Bolton
Cl^r vest^r Kingst ¶ish

M ^{rs} Tompkins D ^r to	173	At a meeting of y ^e Vestry Men
to old acco ^t	70	of y ^e North River ¶cinct on y ^e
—	—	29 th of September 1722

243	Ordered y ^t Cap ^t George Dud-
C ^r ¶ Sal ^r	200
—	ley Church Warden do Collect
due to y ^e ¶cinct	43
	one pound of Tobacco ¶ pole
	of Each tithable ¶son throug y ^e
	S ^a ¶cinct & to pay y ^e Same to
	M ^{rs} Sarah Tompkins Sexton
	there being in the Said ¶cinct
	this yeare 173 Tithables

Test^s Henry Bolton
Cl^r ves^t Kingst ¶i[]

M ^{rs} Tompkins D ^r to	177	At a Meeting of y ^e Vestry
To last Eares Acco ^t	43	Men of y ^e North River ¶sinct
—	—	on ye 30 th : of September 1723

220	Ordered that M ^r William El-
C ^t By y ^e years Sallery	200
—	liott Churchwarden do Collect
Due to y ^e ¶scinct	020
	one pound of Tobako ¶ pole of
	Each tithable ¶son through y ^e
	S ^a ¶sinct & to pay y ^e Same to
	M ^{rs} Sarah Tompkins S[]
	There being in y ^e Said ¶sinct
	this ¶sent yeare 177 Tithables

Test^s Henry Bolton
Cl^r Vestry Kingston ¶ish

(12)

[]pkins D ^r	198	Att A Meeting of y ^e vestry
[] Acco	20	Men of y ^e North River ¶cinct
	—	on y ^e 29 th of September 1724
	218	Ordered that M ^r William Eliot Churchwarden do Collect one
[] y ^e years		liot Churchwarden do Collect one
[]y	200	pound of Tobako ¶ pole of Each
	—	Tithable ¶son throw y ^e Said
[] ^e ¶scinct	18	¶sinct & to pay y ^e Same to M ^{rs} Sarah Tompkins Sexton there Being in the Said ¶sinct this present Yeare 198 Tithables
		Test ^s Henry Bolton
		Cl ^r Vestry Kingst ¶ish

1725

[]dered by y^e Gen^t Men of y^e vestry of North River ¶sinct that one pound of Tobako ¶ pole be Collected Through The S^a ¶cinct & to Receve of John Tompkins 18th of Tobako & with y^e Same to pay for y^e Lock for y^e Chapel dore And y^e Sextons according to Agreement

Test^s Henry Bolton Cl^r ves^r Kings ¶ish

1726

[]dered by y^e Ge^t Me of y^e vestry of North River ¶cinct that one pound of Tobacko ¶ pole be Collected throug[] The S^a ¶cinct & To pay y^e Same To Richard Creedle Sexton. y^e Number of Tithables being 204

Test^s Henry Bolton Cl^r Vestr Kingston ¶ish

(13)

Att a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 29th day of Sep[]

The Gen^t prejent The Rev^d M^r Jn^e Blacknall, Cap^t George Dudley M^r Charles Debnom Gen^t: M^r: Jn^e Hayes M^r Jn^e Billups M[] Marlow Cap^t Thomas Hayes M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Robert Barnard Gen^t of the Vestry ordered

Tobacco

To The Rev ^d Mr Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditto for Quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^o for Wine	00360
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00065
To Thomas Machen	00540
To Sarah Hunley for Elizabeth Ander- ton	00125
To Cap ^t Robert Barnard for Matt Tho ^s for a basterd Child	00900 Next year 7[]
To Sarah Barton	00300
To Thomas Longest for a parrish Child	00600
To Francis Lendall for oner powers	00400
To Ann Powers Sexton	00300
To Tho ^s : Putnom Sexton	00600
To Thomas Hill for a parrish Child & to Discharge y ^e Parrish	00700
To Thomas Willis for to Discharge his Leve	00060
To Larance Collins	00300
To Edward Wyatt Shirreff	00060
To Thomas Bridge Daughter	00300
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 and Cask

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It is ordird by the above Vestry that M^r Charles Blacknall Collect of Each Tithable perfon within This Said parrish 22½ pounds of Tobacco for the Ufe of the Minester Cleark and other parrish Creadet, it is funder orderd that the above Said Collectter Receive of Each Tithable perfon in the Said parrish 20 pounds of Tobacco for the Churches now in building

orderd by the above Said Vistry that the Tobacco now In Cap^t Barnards Hands be put In Cask

Cap^t Rob^t Barnard M^r Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins
Tithables I[] parrish This Year 1148
22½ per pol[]

Tefst W^m Brookes C:l

(14)

Att a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 6th day of
April 1741

Pfent The Rev^d Jn^o Blacknall Cap^t George Dudley Cap^t
Tho^s Hayes Cap^t Robert Barnard M^r W^m Armistead M^r Jn^o
Hayes M^r Jn^o Billups M^r Hugh Gwyn M^r Charles Debnam

It was agreed on by the Said Gen^t: of the Vestry That M^r
Moore and M^r W^m Rand do Take all The New Brick wall
Down which They put Up and Build y^e Said wall up againe,
with good Bricks & good Morter Workmanlike and to do
it with all Expedition So that The whole Building is to be
well performed By the Last Day of July Next

and The Said More and Rand to Repare all Damages the
old Church hath Sustained by Them, and it is further agreed
that M^r Rand Rep^r what is wanting to The old Church and
to make a pew Each Side the Commuon Table and To bring
his Acc^t to the Next Vestry, it further Agread That Thom^s:
Dawson Serve as Clark at The New Church Till Whitsontide
Upon Liking and if approve^d on to Continue for one Thousand
pounds of Tobacco p^r Yeare Cap^t Robert Barnard to Take
Bond and Security of the above More and Rand

Test W^m Brookes C: V: K

1741 order of payments to be Made Next Year as fol-
lowes Vift

	Tobacco
To Thomas Michen for Tho ^s Putnom & wife	1000
To Tho ^s Daves for a Basterd Child	0500
To W ^m Brable for a basterd Child	0500
To Mary Magerfon	0300
To Robert Reves	0600
To W ^m Majon	0500
To Thomas Capril	0300
To Thomas Longest	0400
	4100

It is further agreed by the said gen^t to Leve Ten pounds

of Tobacco p^r Pole for the Church now in Repairing
Teft W^m Brookes

15)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston parrish the 29th day of
Octob[] 1741

The Gen^t of The Vistry prejent The Rev^d M^r Jn^o Black-
nall Co^o Henry Armistead Cap^t Rob^t Barnard M^r Jn^o: Bil-
lup[] M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Thomas Hayes M^r Jn^o Hayes
Cap^t George Dudley M^r Charles Debnom M^r W^m Marlow

It was order^d by the Said Vestry *That *M^r

	Tobacco
To y ^e Rev ^d M ^r Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditt ^o for Quitrents of The Gleabe land	00128
To Ditt ^o for wine for the Church	00360
To Sarah Burton	00400
To Francis Lendall for oner Powers	00400
To Elizabeth Turner	00300
To Geo: Elliott for Thomas putnom & wife	01000
To Matt. Thomas for a basterd Child	00700
To Ann Pallester Sexton	00300
To Ava ^r : Cantrell Sexton	00067
To Caleb Hunley for Ann power Sexton	00233
To Thomas Peak and Thomas Bridge	00300
To Thomas Dawfon Cleark	00500
To Larance Collins	00300
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00255
To James Wyatt Sheriff	00080
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
To W ^m Brookes for Taring the Churches	01300
	24323 Deposer
To 8 per C ^t : on 18188 is	01455 211
To 4 p ^r C ^t : on 06135 is	00246
24323	26024 by 1166
	Tithables
	is 22½ p ^r Po[]

* These two words scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

It was orderd that M^r Charles Blacknall be Collect^r for y^e above S^d Yeare

Co^{mo} Henry Armistead and M^r Charles Debnam be Churc[] wardins for y^e said yeare

It Is further agreed on by the Said Gent^t of y^e Vistry, that M^r William Rand is to Repare all the Body of The old Cha[] and to Make New window frames, and Sashes, and to fill the said windowes With good Crown glafs, and to ha[] all the old glafs and other Stuff To his one Use and at the Trew performance of the Said work to Rec^d fifty []nds Curant Cash for so doing

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(16)

Acc^t of What is ordred to be paid Next year 1743

Ttobacco

To Richard Marchant for Tho ^s : Putnam	600
To Robert Reves for Keeping y ^e Same Child	500
[]o Tho ^s Daves	400
[] W ^m Brable	400
[]o Anna Hudgen for Keeping y ^e Same Ch ^d	700

2600

Cap^t Geo. Dudley

To pay Francis Lendall 10^s/ and Rich^d Davis 2/6

M^r W^m Armistead and Cap^t Ambrofs Dudley Churchwardins for the year 1743

Cap^t Ambrofs Dudley Collectter

Teft W^m Brookes Cl: V.

(17)

Att A Vestry held for Kingston Parrish at y^e New Church the 4th day of October 1742

Gent^t of the Vestry prefont The Riv^d M^r Jn^o Blacknall Cap^t Geo: Dudley M^r W^m Elliott M^r John Hayes M^r John Billups M^r Hugh Gwyn M^r W^m Armistead Cap^t Ambrofs Dudley

ordered	Tobacco
To the Rev ^d : M ^r Jn ^o Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Di ^{ty} f Quitrents of y ^e Gleabe Land	00128
To Ditt ^o for Wine for y ^e Church	00360
To Ditt ^o for two Surples	01550
To Cap ^t Jn ^o Cleaton	00140
To Averilah Cantrill Sexton	00400
To Thomas Davis for a basterd Child	00500
To W ^m Brable for a basterd Child	00500
To Robert Reves for a parrish Child	00600
To W ^m Mason for a basterd Child	00500
To Thomas Longest for a basterd Child	00400
To Henry putnam for Mary Magerfon	00300
To Sarah Burton	00500
To Thomas Caprill	00389
To Thomas Dawfon	01100 & Cask
To W ^m Marchant for W ^m Putnam	00050
To Elizabeth Turner	00300
To Ann Palester Sexton	00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Lame Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Longest for James Longest	00800
To Doc ^t Roche acc ^t for James Longest	01434
To Thomas Mahen for Thomas Putnam	00800
To Francis Lendall for Powers Daughter	00400 Dep ^r 103
To Ann Hudgen for Keeping James Longests Child	00500
To Larence Collins	00300
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
To James Cray for one Leve over Charged	00032½
To Richard Daves one Leve over Charge	00032½
To Robert fliping over Charged	00032½

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(18)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish the 12th Day of
october 1743

Gen^t prefent The Rev^d M^r Blacknall Minefter Cap^t George

Dudley Mr. William Armistead Gen^t: Mr John Hayes Mr
William Marlow Mr John Billups Mr Hugh Gwyn Cap^t
Thomas Hayes

Orderd	Tobacco
To the Reverand Mr Blacknall Minester	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^e for quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^e for Wine	00360
To James Wyatt	00027
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00018
To Robert Reves for a parrish Child	00500
To Thomas Daves for a Basterd Child	00400
To William Brable for a Basterd Child	00400
To Ann Hudgen for James Longest Child	00700
To M ^{rs} : Ann Armistead for Thomas Putnam	00600
To Sarah Burton	00500
To Francis Lendall for James Powers	
Daughter	00400
To Richard Hodges for one Leve over paid	00028
To Charles Hunley for one Leve over paid	00028
To Thomas Capril for his wife	00300
To Mary Bolton for William Putnam	00150
To Ellonor Huts	00200
To Thomas Bridge for his Lane Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Larance Collins	00300
To W ^m Young	00400
To Thomas Willis	00500
To Richard Longest for a parrish Child	00450
To Honnor Whimpy	00126
To Thomas Hunley for Rose Michell	00350
To Ann Pallister Sexton	00300
To Widdow Cantrill Sexton	00300
To Thomas Dawfon Cleark	01100 and Cask
To Doct ^r : Symmer	01794
To Caleb Hunley for Clearing y ^e Church	
yeard	00200
To James M ^c Collet	00163

To William Brookes Cleark Church &
Vistry

01700 and Cask

10 p^r C^t on 19288 is

29122

6 p^r C^t on 9834

1928

591

31641

Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer Chofe Vestrymen

M^r W^m Marlow Collect^r and Churchwardin

Cap^t Kemp Plumer Churchward

orderd for Thomas Hunley for Rofo Michell Next

year

500

To Easter Bohanon for Thomas Putnam Next year

300

Leve 27 p^r pole Tithables 1176

Teft W^m Brookes Cleark

(19)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parriſh y^e first day of
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Gen^t. Men p^rſent the Rev^a John Blacknall Cap^t George
Dudley Cap^t Ambrofs Dudley M^r John Hayes M^r John Bil-
lup[] Cap^t Robert Barnard M^r William Marlow Vestrym[]

Tobacco

To y^e Rev^a John

Blacknall

16488 and Cask

To John Blacke for a

parish Child

00700

To John Matthes

00044

To Robert Reves

00300

To Sarah Burton

00300

To Elliner Dewplisey

00300

To Ann Palliser

00300

To Thomas Jarrott for

Sarah welch

00108

To Elizabeth Turner

00200

	To Marcus Bendickson	00200	
	To Thomas Bridge's		
	Daughter	00300	
	To Thomas Putnom		
	Sexton	00250	
	To Thomas Hill		
	for a parish Child	00700	
	To Thomas Longest		
	for parish Child	00700	Next Year 600
	To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00125	
	To Edward Wyatt	00170	
	To Larance Collins	00400	
[] 16 Tithab ^l **	To Sarah Hunley	00150	
	To James powers		
26 & 25	Sexton	00300	
Leves	To Caleb Hunley	00100	
	To Doct ^r John Symer	03069	
	To Henry Putnom	00200	
	To William Brookes		
	Clark C: V	01768	and Cask
	To 18256 @ 8 p ^r C ^t is	01460	2
	To 4 p ^r C ^t on 8919 is	00356	9
		28998	

Orderd That Cap^t Robert Barnard Receive of Each Tithable Perfon Within y^e above Said parish 26 pounds of Tobacco [] for the Use of the minester and other parish Creadit The Said Barnard is orderd to Receive of Each of the above Said Tithables 25 pounds of Tobacco for the use of the New Church Furniture and Repairing the old Church

[] he Said Gent^lmen Hath further agreed with Mr. Jn^o: more & Mr W^m. Rand to ad a bulding to y^e North Side of the Eastermoft Church of 25 foot Each way with a brick wall of the Same Thicknefs of y^e old wall with a gallirey and Three windos and a dore at the Eand and to shingle the Said Side of the

Church with g[] Shingles Laid on workman Like and to
have and Receive for so doing 200th Curant Cash
W^m Brooke []

(20) [Blank in MS.—C. G. C.]

(21)

Att Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e 30th day of
October 1744

Gen^l of the Vestry present the Rev^d Mr John Blacknall
Cap^t George Dudley Mr Charles Debnam Mr William Elliott
Mr John Billups Mr William Marlow Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t
Thomas Hayes Cap^t Kemp Plumer

	Tobacco
To y ^e Rev ^d John Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^e for quitrents	00128
To Ditt ^e for Wine for the Church	00360
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00060
To Thomas Hunley for Roze Michell 2 monthes 500 p ^r Yeare	83½
To Sarah Edwards for Roze Michell 10 months @ 500	00416½
To Francis Armistead for Thomas Putnam	00300
To Thomas Machen for [*] Bridges	00015
To Ann Lendal for Powers Daughter	00400
To Richard Hunley for one Leve over paid Last year	00027
To Thomas Peake for Ditt ^e	00027
To John Forrest Jun ^r for Ditto for two Leves over paid	00054
To James Harper for Ditt ^e	00027
To Ann Collins	00300
To Thomas Bridge for his Daughter	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Mary Creadle	00300
To Thomas Willis	00500

* This word is illegible. Probably it should be read Francis.—C. G. C.

To Charles Baker for buying Capella Wife	01200
To Capt Plumer for Capella Wife	01000
To Elizer Hays	01200
To Elizabeth Clark for Sarah Burton	01500
To Joyce Denphrey	01200
To Mary Parsons for a parish Child	01200
To Thomas Longely for a parish Child	01000
To Thomas Dawson, Clerk	01100 and Cask
To Richard Longely for a parish Child	01100
To Ann Palmer Burton	01300
To Wm. Canard Dezman	01300
To George Elliott for Billins Sadler	01100
To Robert Beves for a parish Child and to have the parish Harrier from the said Child but not to have his Tobacco till he hath Given the parish Bond and Se- curity	01300
To Mr William Marlow for three Leves @ 27 p ^r Pole	00681
To William Brookes Clerk of C: and Vestry 01700 and Cask	

2440

Cap: Kemp Plumer Collector Cap: Kemp Plumer and Mr William Marlowe	Tithables
Churchwardens for this p ^r sent Year	1175
10 10 p ^r C: on 19288 is	1928 Leve 25½
To 6 p ^r C: on 7641 is	0458
	29815

ordered to Sarah Edwards Next year for
Rose Michell 500th Tobacco

ordered that William Brookes Clerk shall have the Depower
yearly

Test William Brookes C[]

(22)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 7th day of
October 1745

Gen^t present the Rev^d M^r John Blacknall Cap^t Geo^t Dudley
M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnam M^r W^m Marlow M^r John
Billups Cap^t Ambrofs Dudley M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Thomas
Hayes Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer

Ordered	Tobacco
To the Rev ^d M ^r John Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditt ^o for quitrents of the Gleabe Land	00128
To Ditt ^o for Wine	00360
To Cap ^t John Cleaton for the List of Tithables	00020
To Ann Pallester Sexton	00300
To Sarah Edwards for Keeping Rose Michell	00500
To Ann Lendall for Keeping oner powers	00400
To Richard Longest for Keeping a parrish Child	00500
To Thomas Willis	00500
To Ellener Hutts	00200
To Averila Bridge	00300
To Mary Creadle	00300
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Margreat Neithcut	00400
To Averila Cantrell Sexton	00300
To Cap ^t Kemp Plumer for 4 Leves Runaway out y ^e Parrish	00101
To Thomas Dawfson Cleark	01100 & Cask
To Doct John Symmer for good Bought of James M ^c Collot for James Cleark and Re- becca Jonfson	00656
To Doc ^t Symmer for Bording James Cleark and Rebecca Jonfson and the Curing of the S ^a James' Clearkes Legg, and Curing and Keeping the Said Rebecca Jonfson Cleare from all Charges that may hapen for Two years from this Date	Tithables 1196 @ 27¾ per Pole 05800

To Robert parrott	00500
To W ^m Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
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	30465 Dep ^r 125
To 10 p ^t : on 19288 is 1928¾	
To 6 per ^t on 11177 is 670¾	
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	30465

To Francis Singleton Widdow £ 4: 0^s: 0^d Cash to be paid by Cap^t Plumer out of a fine In his one hands and one In Joseph Davis hands, and the Said Cap^t plumer is to pay to M^r William Tabb 12/6 out of the above Said fines for five Bushalls of wheat The Said Cap^t Kemp Plumer Is appointed Collector for this present Year 1745

ordered By the Said gen^t men the Churchwardins for this parrish do meet at the gleabe house of this parrish at any time appointed to agree with workmen to Repare the Said gleabe houfe M^r John Hayes and Cap^t Gwyn Reade is appointed Church wardines for this prefen year

Teft W^m Brookes C V K

(23)

Att A Vestry held for Kingston parish the 13th day of October 1746

Gen^t present the Rev^d M^r Blacknall Cap^t George Dudley M^r William Elliott M^r John Billups M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnam M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Tho^s Hayes M^r William Marlow M^r William Armistead Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer

Orderd

To the Rev ^d M ^r Blacknall	16000 & Cask
To Ditto for wine	00360
To Ditto for quitrents	00128
To Cap ^t John Clayton	00085
To Ann Palister Sexton	00300
To Rose Mitchel	00500

To Onner Powers	00400
To Tho ^s Willis	00500
To Rob ^t Spencer for a parish Child	00500
To Ellener Huts	00300
To Avereler Bridge	00300
To Mary Creedle	00400
To Elizabeth Turner	00400
To Averela Cantril	00300
To Thomas Dawfon	01100 & Cask
To Doc ^t John Symer for Rob ^t Parrott	00690
Francis Singleton	00500
To the Rev ^d M ^r Blacknall for Plastring the gleebe house	00534
To Lucy Sumers	00200
To Cap ^t Plumer for three levies gon Out the County	00082 $\frac{1}{4}$
To Abr: Marchant for keeping of Johnsons Child till crismus	00300
To 10 p ^r C ^t on 19288 is	01928 $\frac{3}{4}$
To 6 p ^r C ^t on 6291 is	00377
To William Brookes Cleark	01700 & Cask
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	27885

To Richard Davis in cash 3/6
 To Cap^t Plumer to pay Tho^s Dawfon for a
 dyal & post 7/6 1251 Tithaⁿ
 M^r Charles Blacknall to pay Sans
 Smith £5 || 17^s || 10^d For Work don Dep^r: 262
 to the Gleebe house To Rich^d Hunley 15/
 Cap^t George Dudley p^d the Ballance of his
 Acct for Shingles to M^r Charles Blacknall £ 1 || 8^s || 6^d
 M^r William Armistead Colec^t
 M^r William Armistead Major Ambrofe Dudley

(24)

Att a Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e 26th. day of
 October 1747

The Vistry Men present The Rev^d: Mr John Blacknall
 Cap^t: George Dudley Mr John Hayes Mr John Billups Cap^t
 Kemp Plumer Maj^r Ambros Dudley Cap^t Thomas Hayes

orderd:	Tobacc
To the Rev ^d Mr John Blacknall	16000 and Cask
To Ditt ^e for wine for the	
Church	00360
To Ditt ^e for quitrents for the	
gleabe Land	00128
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	00197
To Thomas Machen	00077
To Mr James Hill for Taking	
Joyce a Child of Tho ^s Plises	
of The Parrish	00300
Mr John Hayes to pay Mr	
Thomas Booth 14/4	
Mr John Hayes to pay Thomas	
Dawson 5/	
To Ann Collins for Keeping	
Thomas plises Child	00450
To Abroham Rice for Keeping	
a nother of plises Children	00450
To John Bush for Keeping of	
Plises Children	00050
To Ann Collins and Abroham	
Rice for Keeping two of	
Thomas Pises Children next	
Yeare 500 ^{lb} Tobacco for	
Each Child	
To Abroham Marchant for	
Jonfons Child	00400
To Francis Singleton Widdo	00800
To the widdo Cantrill for	
Keeping Jane Hunley &	
Sexton	01100
Mr John Hayes to pay Wil-	

liam Brookes Jun ^r : 15/8		
Major Ambrofs Dudley to pay		
to W ^m Brookes Jun ^r 4/4		
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for		
Keeping oner powers	00600	
To Elloner Hutts	00300	
To Ann Pallester	00300	
To Thomas Willies	00500	
To Averilia Bridge	00300	
To Thomas Dawfon Cleark	01200	and Cask
To Roſe Michell	00500	1287
To Mary Creadle	00400	Tithables
To Elizabeth Turner	00400	at 23 ^{1b} p ^r Pole
To Lucy Sumers	00200	Depoeter 91
To Margret Nithercut	00400	
To William Brookes for Vetry		
and Church	01700	and Cask
Maj ^r Ambrofs Dudley to y ^e	_____	
Rev ^d : M ^r Blacknall 20/	27112	M ^r Charles Debnom
10 p ^r C ^t of 19288 is	1928¾	and M ^r John Billups
6 p ^r C ^t on 7822 is	0469¼	Churchwardins

	29510	

(25)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish the 20th day of
October 1748

Gent Men preſt Cap^t George Dudley M^r: William Armistead
M^r William Elliott M^r John Billups M^r William Marlow M^r
John Hayes M^r Hugh Gwyn Cap^t Kemp Plumer

To M ^{rs} : Ann Blacknall	8141½	And Cask
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	0234	
To Thomas Machen	0054	
To Doc ^t John Symer 1: 9: 9 @ 14 per ^t :	0212	
To M ^r Robert Billups	0500	
To M ^r Robert Reade	0500	
To M ^r : John Billups	0060	

To Richard Hunley Jun ^r for Rackes	0120
To Ann Palister	0300
To Ann Collins for a parrish Child	0500
To Abraham Marchant for Johnfons Child	0400
To Abraham Rice for D ^o :	0500
To George Hudgons for Jane hunley To be paid by wilkinson Hunley for ten months @ 800 th of Tobaco p ^r year or In money 14 p ^r C ^t	
To Oner Powers	0600
To Elener Hutts	0500
To Averilah Bridge	0300
To Thomas Dawfjon Cleark	1200 And Cask
To Roje Michall	0500
To Mary Creedle	0400
To Elizabeth Beard	0300
To Lucy Summers	0300
To Margret Neithcut	0400
To Con Sadler	0400
To John Hudgen	0200
To Thomas Caprill	0600
To Averileah Contrill Sexton	0300
To William Brookes	1700 and Cask

	19221 1303 Tithables
To 10 p ^r C ^t on 11041 is	1104 Deposeter 33
To 6 p ^r C ^t on 8180 is	490 Leve 16 p ^r pole

19221 20815

M^r W^m Elliott Elliott Collect^r.

M^r W^m: Elliott and M^r Hugh Gwyn Churchwardins this year
Teft W^m Brookes C

(26)

Att A Vestry Hild for Kingston Parrish y^e 10th day of
October 1749

Gen^t. of the Vestry Prefent Cap^t George Dudley M^r. Wil-

liam Marlow Mr John Hayes Cap^t Tho^s: Hayes Mr John
 Billups Mr William Elliott Mr Charles Debnom Mr Hugh Gwyn
 Cap^t Gwyn Maj^o Ambrofs Dudley

To The Rev ^d Mr John Dickson	3113 And Cask
To Tho ^s Dawson Cleark	1200 And Cask
To Ann Palister	0300
To Cap ^t John Cleaton	0076½
To Thomas Machen	0027
To Thomas Dawson	0150
To Joseph Davis	0114
To Avarila Bridge to be paid to An- thony Degge Jun ^r :	0300
To Avarila Cantrell Sexton	0300
To Mr William Marlow for a Child of Tho ^s Plises And to Keepe the parrish Harmlefs after	0500
To Aroham Rice for Keeping a par- rish Child	0300
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes of oner Powers	1000
To Elliner Hutts	0500
To Roje Michall	0500
To Lucy Sumers	0300
To Margrett Neithercut	0400
To John Hudgen for a parrish Child Kept from the 23 ^d day of Sep ^r att 750 ^{lb} p ^r year	
To Lanley Billups for a parish Child And to Keep the Parrish Harnlefs	0500
To William Brable for a parrish Child	0600
W ^m Brable to have Next year 750	
To Mary Longeft	0370
To Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes	0075
To Ann Lendall	0500
To William Brookes CC & Vestry	1700 and Cask

12825½

10 p^r C^t on 6013 is

601¼ 1340 Tithables

6 p^r C^t on 6812 is

408¾ Deposeter 236

13834½

13835½

Cap^t Thomas Hayes And M^r William Marlow is Churchwardins

M^r: William Marlow Collect^r

The Gen^t of the Vistrey agreed to Leve 3th of Tobacco per pole

Test William Brookes CC

(27)

At a Vestry Hild at the Parrish of Kingston in the County of Glocester y^e 24th of october 1749

Present

Thomas Hayes

Churchwardins

William Marlow

George Dudley

John Hayes

Charles Debnom

William Elliott

Ambrofs Dudley

It was agreed that y^e Reve^d M^r Richard Locke Should be Rec^d as minester of the afore Said Parrish

Test William Brookes C V

Att a Vestry hild for Kingston Parrish the 26th day of June 1750

Gen^tmen present The Rever^d: M^r Richard Locke Minester Cap^t George Dudley M^r W^m Armistead M^r. W^m Marlow M^r W^m Ellio[] Cap^t Tho^s. Hayes M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Debnom Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r Hugh Gwyn

It Was Orderd by the ABove Said Gen^t. that Robert Reade do Truley Repare the Gleabe house not Disturbing the Rev^d M^r Locke No more then he Cant Covenantley help

Test W^m Brookes C V

(28)

Att Vestry Hild for Kingstone Parrish y^e first day of
October 1750

Present The Rev^d Richard Lock Minister

Cap^t Geo: Dudley M^r: William Armistead Cap^t Tho^s
Hayes M^r John Billups Cap^t Gwyn Reade Cap^t Kemp Plumer
M^r John Hayes

To the Riv^d M^r Lock Minister for his

Ballance 9956 and Cask

To Cap^t John Cleaton 0018

To Thomas Dawfon Cleark 1200 and Cask

To Ann Pallester Sexton 0400

To William Brable for Keeping a
parish Child 0750

To John Hudgen for Keeping A par-
rish Child 0750

To M^r Charles Blacknall By Acc^t And
Quitrents 0977

To Geo: Hudges for Jane Hunley
Last years Ballance 0348

To Richard Hunley Jun^r 0060

To John Tompkins for Keeping a par-
rish Child 0200

To Sarah Hunley for Keeping Rofo
Michall 0500

To Cap^t Thomas Hayes for Oner
Powers 1000

To Cap^t Tho^s Hayes for Last yers
arears 0125

To Joseph King for work don to y^e
Church Lock 0033½

To Doc^r Peter Whiting for Matthew
Thomas 0717

To Lucy Somers 0300

To Charles Backer for Jane Hunley 0800

To Averilea Bridge 0300

To Abroham Rice for a parrish Child	0300	
To Elliner Hutts	0500	
To Margret Neithercut	0400	
To William Brookes	1700 and Cask	
To Ann Lendal	0500	
To John Gordin Sexton	0400	
To Mary Longest	0300	
To Markuss Deyonger	0200	
To Elexander King for Keeping a parrish Child	1000	1364 Tithables
To Joseph Sowell for Wine	0223½	19¼ per pole
To the Rev ^d Mr Lock	0033½	Dep ^r 142½
To William parkes Estate for a Booke	0167	
To 10 p ^r Cen ^t on 12856 is	1285½	
To 6 p ^r sent on 11297 is	677¾	

26115½

Mr William Armistead And Cap^t Thomas Hayes Church-
wardins

Cap^t Thomas Hayes Collect^r:

Taft W^m Brookes Clea: Vestry

(29)

At A Vestry Hild for Kingston parish the 10th of Decembr
1750

Present

Mr William armistead	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
Mr John Billups	Mr Charles Debnam
Capt George Dudley	Capt Kemp Plummer
Mr John Hayes	Mr W ^m Tabb
Mr William Elliott	

The Rev'd Mr John Dixon is Rec'd as Minister of Kingston
parish And his Time to go on from the 25th of Octobr Last

Order'd That the Rev'd Mr John Dixon have power to
Employ Workmen To fit up the out Houfes at the Glebe and
to build A Stable 16 x 20 plank'd above and the Charge to be
submitted to the Vestry

Order'd that John Davis Shall Serve as Clerk of the old Church in Kingston Parish from the Laying the Parish Levy the first Day of Octobr Laft

Order'd that John Davis Recieve the Vestry Book of M^r W^m Brooks

Sin'd John Dixon Jun^r Minist[]

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish this 8th Day of April 1751

Gen^t pre^t The Rev'd M^r John Dixon M^r William Armistead Cap^t George Dudley M^r John Billups M^r John Hayes Cap^t Gwyn Read M^r W^m Tabb

Order'd that the Church Wardens have power to agree with workmen to make a thorough Repair of the Dwelling hous at the Glebe and to add Such Conveniencies as they Shall think Necefsary there and on the plantation

Ordered that John Davis Shall demand and Recieve all Books and other papers Relating to the parish affairs Now in possefsion of W^m Brooks Late Clerk of the Vestry

Order'd that M^r William Armistead Do Send to England for Church ornam^{ts} Books &c. to the Value of fifty Pounds Sterling

Sin'd John Dixon Jun^r Minift[]

(30)

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 13th of May 1751

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Cleg^m.

M^r W^m Armistead M^r John Hayes

Cap^t Georg Dudley Cap^t Gwyn Read

M^r John Billups Cap^t Kemp Plummer Gen^tmen of y^e Vestry

M^r Hugh Gwyn M^r W^m Tabb

Order'd that M^r William Armistead Gen^t Chu^h War^d be impowr'd To take up fifty Pounds Curr^t money on Iterest and apply the Same to purchase Corn to be Distributed among the

At a Vestry held for Kingston Pish. the 13th of May 1731

Present The Reverend Mr John Dixon Clergⁿ

Mr W^m Somerslead Mr John Hayes
 { Capt George Dudley Capt Gwyn Read } Gen^l men of y^e Vestry
 { Mr John Billups Capt Kemp Drummer }
 Mr Hugh Gwyn Mr W^m Sable

Ordered that Mr William Somerslead gen^l Ch^l War^d be empowered
 To take up fifty Pounds Curr^{nt} money on Interest and apply the Same
 to purchase Corn to be Distributed among the poor of this Pish at
 the Discretion of Church Wardens John Dixon Jun^r Minister

Kingston Pish At a Vestry held for this Pish this 1st of Aug 1731

Present The Reverend Mr John Dixon Clergⁿ

Church Wardens { Mr William Somerslead Mr John Hayes } Vestry men Present
 { Capt Thomas Hayes Mr John Billups }
 { Mr George Dudley Mr Ch^l Debnam }
 { Mr Gwyn Read Mr W^m Elliott }

Ordered that Mr Rob^t Read be allowed
 For a Satchel £ 13ⁿ 0^o 0
 For a Garden 100 foot of 100 3ⁿ 0^o 0
 To a little house 2ⁿ 5^o 0
 To boards & Nigles 0ⁿ 10^o 0
 To 34 pains of glass aff^d 2ⁿ 5^o 6
 for glazing pulley &c } 0ⁿ 11^o 4
 To 34 pains glass aff^d }
 for going to York 0ⁿ 12^o 6
 To White washing 0ⁿ 17^o 3
 To mending the Church door hinges 6ⁿ 0

£ 24ⁿ 7^o 7

John Dixon Jun^r Minister

poor of this Pish at the Discretion of the Church Wardens
John Dixon Jun^r Minister

Kingstone At a Vestry held for this Pish this 14th of
Parish fs Aug^t 1751
The Rever'd mr John Dixon Clerg^m.

Church	M ^r William Armistead	M ^r John Hayes
Wardens	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	M ^r John Billups
	M ^r George Dudley	M ^r Cha ^s Debnam
	M ^r Gwyn Read	M ^r W ^m Elliott
		Vestry men Present

Ordered that M^r Rob^t Read be allow'd for A

Kitchen	£13 0 0
A Garden 400 foot @ /3 ^d	5 0 0
To a Little house	2 5 0
To boards & Shigles	0 10 0
To 34 Pains of Glaff @ /9 ^d	1 5 6
for Glazing puttey &c	
To 34 pains glafs @ /4 ^d	0 11 4
for going to York	0 12 6
To White washing	0 17 3
To mending the Church Lock & hinges	6 0

£24|| 7||7

John Dixon Jun^r. Minister

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Kingstone At a Vestry held for this Pish
Parish fs Octobr. 7th 1751

Gentm of the Vestry psent

The Reve'd M ^r John Dixon Min:	Cap ^t George Dudley
Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
M ^r John Hayes	M ^r Hugh Gwyn
M ^r John Billups	M ^r William Tabb

Order'd

To the Rever'd M^r John Dixon Min 1600 & Cask .. 640

To D ^e for wine	00450	
To D ^e for quitrents	00128	
To Cap ^t John Clayton	00090	
To M ^r Thomas Boswell	00063	
To the Estate of m ^r W ^m Marlow Dec'd	00218	
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	01200 & cask	48
To Samuel Tompkins	00019¼	
To Charles Blacknall for Richard Brooks	00800	
To John Davis Clerk	01700 & cask	68
To Ann pallister Sexton	00400	—
To John Gordin Sexton	00400	756
To Lucy Summars	00300	
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Orphan Children	00600	
To W ^m brable for keeping a piſh Child & Due to Cap ^t Hayes	00248	
To John Hudgen for Keeping a piſh Child	00750	
To Elisabeth Longest for keeping a piſh Child	00400	
To Charles Baker for keeping Jane Hunley	00800	
To Sarah Hunley for keeping Rose Michel	00500	
To Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for keeping Oner powers	01000	1354 Tithables
To Averillo Bridge	00300	
To Ellener Huts	00500	Depos ^r 33
To Ann Lendal	00500	
To Richard Hunley for keeping Judah Cray	00500	
To John Bridg	00200	
To Elifabeth Evans widdow & four Children	01200	
To be left in the Church wardens hands to be Sold To Discharge a bond of fifty pounds Currancy on Inter ^t	08400	

To be left in the Church ward ^{ns} hands		
hands to be Sold to pay the Ballance		
of John Peters's acc ^t £63 4 4	10114	
to be left in the Church ward ^{ns} hands to		
be Sold to pay John Peters £56 15 for		
building the out houses on the glebe	09080	
	03411	Col ^{rs} part
To 4 Pr C ^t on 18900 allow'd for Cask		
Comes to	00756	
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Order'd that the twelve pound nineteen Shillings and Seven pence in M^r William Armisteads hands be paid To John peters on Demand

M^r William Armistead & Cap^t. Thomas Hayes appointed Church wardens for the year Ensueing

Order'd that Cap^t Thomas Hayes Do Stand Col^r and that the S^d Cap^t Thomas Hayes Do Recieve of Each Tithable person within this S^d pi^{sh} 45¼ pounds of good tobacco To Satisfie the Several Creditors there is this year 1354 tithables in this pari^{sh}

At a Vestry held for Kingston parrish the 10th of Aug^t. 1752

Gent ^{mn}	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	
Present	M ^r John Billups	M ^r Hugh Gwyn
	M ^r John Hayes	Cap ^t Kemp Plummer
	Cap ^t Gwyn Read	M ^r William Tabb

Ordered that William Brownley the son of William Brounley be levy free

Ordered that M^r John Tompkins Jun^r do make a thorough repair of the Old Church and bring his Charge to the Vestry for laying our Next parish levy

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At a Veftry Held for Kingston parish Octo^r 16th 1752

	The rever'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	
Present	M ^r William Armistead	M ^r John Billups
	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	Cap ^t Gwyn Read
	M ^r John Hayes	Cap ^t Kemp Plummer
		Gent ^m Veftry

Ordered that acct wth Cap^t Tho^s Hayes be Settl^d
 & y^e Ballance be p^d to the P^{ar}ish from him 26||14||3

Order'd	lb Tobacco
to the rever'd M ^r Dixon	16000 & Cask
To D ^o 4 p ^r C ^t allow'd by Law	640
To Do. 4 p ^r C ^t Not levied last year	640
To D ^o .. for quitrents	128
Cap ^t Thomas Hayes to pay y ^e rever'd M ^r	

Dixon's acct £13 2	
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & Cask
To John Davis	1700 & Cask
To Ann Palister Sexton	400
To Mary Gordin Sexton	400
To Cap ^t John Clayton	67½

That Cap^t Tho^s Hayes Do pay M^r Cha^s

Blacknals acc^t. £3||0||4¼
 That Cap^t Hayes do pay Rob^t Hunleys
 acct 1||5

To Richard Hunley for Judith Cray	300
To Mary Gordin for Keeping a Child of Griffins	75
To Rob ^t Jervis for Keeping a Child for D ^o .	100 1215 Tithables
To Mifs Elisabeth Green for a levy overpaid	45¼
To M ^r Richard bentley for a levy over- paid	45¼
To John Hugen for keeping a P ^{ar} ish	

Child & Rich ^a Brooks	700	
To the widdow Evans & four Children	1200	
To Cap ^t Hayes for Seven pi ^{sh} levies overpaid	316¾	
To Ann Palister for keeping two Children	600	
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley	400	Total 30557¾
To George Hudgen for Keeping Averillo Bridg 4 mon ^{ts}	100	6 p ^r C ^t is 1833
To Averillo Bridg	200	4 p ^r C ^t
To Elenor Hutts	500	for cask 756
To John Bridg	200	
To Lucy Summers	300	33146
To Ro ^{se} Michel	500	28 p ^r . Pole
To Ann Lendal	500	874 Depos ^t
To Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes for Keeping oner Powers	1000	
To John Davis for keeping a ¶i ^{sh} Child	700	
To Mary Longest	300	
To Christian Owen	300	
To Elisabeth Bridg widdow	300	
To Sarah Worden for keeping Fran ^a . Bridges	400	
To Elisabeth Dawson for keeping Chri ^f ^a owen	300	
		30557¾

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Orderd that Sarah Bafsets Negroe woman be levy free

Cap^t Thomas Hayes to pay the widow M^e Mekins £3||5^sOrderd that Cap^t Kemp Plummer & M^r William Tabb Do
stand Church wardens for the year EnsueingThat Cap^t Kemp Plumer Do receive 28 pounds of tobacco
of Each Tithable person in this ¶i^{sh} to Satisfie the Several
CreditorsSign'd by
the rever'd M^r John Dixon Minis^r

Kingstone Parrish Js

At a Veftry held for this parifh Octo^r 22 1753

Preſent The Reverend M^r John Dixon Miniſter Cap^t Kemp
 Plummer M^r William Tabb, Chu^b wardens Cap^t George Dudley
 Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r John Billups M^r John Hayes Cap^t
 Thomas Hayes M Charles Debnam

Ordered that tobacco be levied as follows

For the rever'd M ^r John Dixon	16000 & cask
For D ^o for Shrinkage 4 p ^r C ^t	00640
D ^o for Quitrents	128
For Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
For John Davis D ^o & Clerk of y ^e Veftry	1700 & cask
For Ann Palliſter	0400
For Mary Gordin	0400
For Cap ^t Clayton Clr. of the County	0198
For M ^r Bofwell Sheriff	0108
For the reverend M ^r John	
Dixon's acc ^t	£4 19 0792
For John Tompkins's acc ^t	7 9 1192
For Doc ^r Aſſelins acc ^t for	
Parrot	3 11 9 0588
For Thomas Rice	0500
For Cap ^t Kemp Plummer his Acc ^t	0122
For the widow Evans & four Children	1200
For Ann palliſter & four Children	0600
For Eliſabeth Baker for Jean Hunley	0400
For Averill Bridge	0300
For John Riply for D ^o	0100
For Elenor Huts	0500
For John Bridge	0200

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For Lucy Summers	300
For Ann Lendal	500

For Cap ^t Thomas Hayes for Oner Powers	250	
For Ann Lendal for D ^o	750	
For George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700	
For Mary Longest	300	
For Christian Owen	300	
For Elisabeth Bridge	300	
For the Church wardens to pay for Orna- ments to be sent for By the Rever'd John Dixon if Not already sent for	10000	
for Robert Parrot for a levy over p ^a	27½	
For Sarah wooden for D ^o	27½	
For the Church wardens to pay for two Veftry Houses 12 x 16 Fram'd & plais- ter'd and floored a Chimney & one win- dow with Eight lights Rob ^t parot to build one @ £7	2240	Tithables 1365
For John Hudgen	500	
	43463	34¼ lb
4 p ^r Ct on 18900	756	Tobacco p ^r pole
	44219	
6 p ^r Ct for Collecting	2653	

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Ordered That M^r William Tabb & Cap^t Kemp Plummer
Be Continued Church Wardens And that M^r William Tabb
Do receive 34¼ pounds of Tobacco of Each Tithable Person
in this Parish

Test

John Dixon Jun^r Minis^r

(36)

Know all men by These Presents that We William Tabb
& John Dixon Junior are held and firmly Bound unto the
Gent^m of the Vestry of Kingstone Parish in the Sum of Ninety
two Thousand Six hundred & fourty two pounds of Tobacco
to be paid to The Said Vestrymen ——— or their succesors

Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows

To the Rever ^d . M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & Cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage 4 p ^r C ^t	640
To Ditto for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200
To John Davis Ditto & Clerk of Vestry	1700
To Ann Pallister Sexton	400
To Cap ^t John Clayton Clark of y ^e County	99
To Mary Gordin Sexton	400
To the widdow Evans & four Children	1200
To Ann Pallister for Keeping two Children	0600
To Elisabeth Baker for keeping Jean Hundley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	200
To Lucy Summers	300
To Elisabeth Thomas for Keeping Oner Powers	1000
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Mary Longest widdow	500
To Christian Owen	400
To Elisabeth Bridge	300
To John Hudgen for Keeping a Child to be bound to him & his wife & to Clear the parish of it	1200
To Ann Pallister for Cleaning y ^e Church of the Whitewashing	100
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett	500
To Henry Knight for tobaco over paid Last year	205½
To Antony Degge jun ^r jun ^r for tobacco over paid Last Levy	68½
To M ^r Rob ^t Dalgelish for 15/ C ^r to Mary Bolton	120
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To the Reverend M ^r Dixon the Ballance of his acc ^t	1588
To John Risposfs for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	

seven months & half	0300
To M ^r William Tabb for a bason for the New Church	32
To Thomas forrest for Keeping a Child of Lettitia Ashburys Seven weeks	150
To Richard Davis for two horfe Blocks two horse racks a Door Case & Lintle & a Stand for Bason	1040
Robert Parret allow'd £1 more for building the Vestry Houfe at the New Church	160
To John Tompkins Jun ^r for D ^o at the old Church	160
To 4 ₤ ^r C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756
To William Tompkins Sen ^r for work on the New Church	1120
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6 ₤ ^r C.t. on the whole for Collecting is 2104	2104
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	37171

1379 Tithables 62 Depos^r

Ordered that Cap^t. Gwyn Reade and M^r Charles Blacknall Do Stand Church wardens for the Ensueing year and y^t Cap^t Gwyn Reade Do Recieve of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 27 pounds of Tobacco to sattisfie several creditors

M^r Charles Blacknall and M^r John Armistead Chosen Vestry men in the room of Major Ambrose Dudley and M^r. John Billups Deceas'd

Order'd that Samuel Willis be Levy free

M^r John Hayes this Day resigned his place of vestry man

Cap^t George Dudley this Day resigned his place of vestry man

memorand^m That Thomas Forrest Keep the Child of Lettitia Ashburys till her return at the rate of 800^{lb} of Tobacco ₤^r Annum

Sign'd by the revernd M^r
John Dixon Minister

(39)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish at the Old Church

July y^e 18th 1755

The Rever'd Mr. John Dixon Minis^r

Pres ^t .	Cap ^{tn} Gwyn Reade	M ^r Charles Blacknall
	Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	M ^r Charles Debnam
	Cap ^t . Kemp Plummer	M ^r William Tabb

Ordered That the Ballance in M^r W^m Tabbs hands of 27||6||4¼ be paid to M^r William Armistead for the Church ornaments &c and that the Acc^t be Settled at the Laying the Next Levy

Mem^d That there has been paid to M^r W^m Armistead 5411^{bs} Toba^o to be accounted for at 12/3½ Ɔ^r C^t

Ordered that the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to repair the old Church as they think proper

Order'd that the rever'd M^r Dixon be Not Liable to Any Charge on acc^t of the Negroe boys runing away that belongs to the parish

Testes

John Dixon Jun^r Minis^r

(40)

Kingston Sc At a Vestry held for this Pifh the 3^d of Parri^{sh} Novem^r 1755

Present

The Revernd M^r John Dixon Minis^r

Cap ^t Gwyn Read	M ^r Charles Blacknall
Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	M ^r John Hayes
Cap ^t . Kemp Plummer	M ^r . Hugh Gwyn
M ^r Charles Debnam	

Ordered That Toba^o be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rever nd M ^r Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	.640
To D ^o for Quitrents	.128
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
To John Davis D ^o & Clerk of Vestry	1700 & cask

To Ann Pallister Sexton	.400
To Capt ^e John Clayton Clk y ^e County	.117
To Mary Gordin Sexton	400
To Mary Evans widdow and four Children	1200
To Ann Pallister for keeping two Children	600
To Elisabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for keeping a Child	700
To Mary Longest widdow	500
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridg	300
To Sarah Merchant for keeping her Mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett	500
To M ^r Matthew Whiting for Levies overpaid	61
To John Rispaßs for keeping Dorothy Jarrett	500
To Robert Reeves for keeping Oner powers	1000
To Thomas Forreft for keeping a Child of Afhberries	800
To the Sheriff	36
To Hannah fordow Widdow	300
To M ^r Charles Blacknall	15
To John Callis	60

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Bro ^t over	30057
To Robert Hudgen Senier	258
To Robert Reade for Cloathing John Bolton	360
To Robert Dagleish	56
To Robert Bridge	300
To John Huell for Levies over paid Last year	68½
To M ^r William Armistead the Ballance of his acc ^t £22 11 9 @ 2 ^d Ⓕ	2710½
To The Rever,nd M ^r John Dixon for Acc ^t	

£9 13 7	1161½
To Doct ^r John Symmer in part of Boltons	
Acc ^t £15 @ 2 ^d	1800
To D ^r . for Henry Carter £15 @ 2 ^d	1800
To 4 Ⓕ ^r C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756
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To 6 Ⓕ ^r C ^t on the whole for Collecting	2359
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	41686

Ordered That M^r Charles Blacknall And
Cap^t Gwyn Reade Continue Church Wardens 1426 Tithables
for the Enfueing year 24 Depof^r.

Ordered That M^r Charles Blacknall Do 29¼ Each
Recieve of Each Tithable person in this Parriſh Tithab[]
29¼ Ⓕ^rounds Tobacco to Satisfie The
Severall Creditors

Ordered that Ann Singletons Negro wench be Levy free
John Dixon Rect^r.

(42)

At a Veſtry Held for Kingſton Pariſh the 10th Day of
May 1756

The reverend M^r John Dixon Minis^r

Gent ^m Pres ^t	Cap ^t Gwyn Reade	
	M ^r Charles Blacknall	Churchwardens
	M ^r John Hayes	
	M ^r Hugh Gwyn	
	Cap ^t . Kemp Plummer	
	M ^r William Tabb	

Carried by a Majority that a Veſtry man be Now Chofen
in the room of M^r William Armistead Deceas'd

Cap^m William Plummer is Chofen to Succeed him as Veſ-
tryman

Agreed that the reverend M^r Dixon May Saw into Plank
or otherwise Diſpoſe of the trees felled on the Glebe for
Neceſary Clearing Provided he Sell No board Timber

John Dixon, Jun^r. Rect^r.

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parrish the 22^d of Nov^r In
the year of our Lord 1756

Preft. The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minifter
M^r Charles Blacknall Capt. Gwyn Church wardens
M^r William Tabb, M^r Charles Debnam Cap^t. Kemp
Plummer M^r John Hayes

Ordered That Toba^o be Levied as follows

To The revernd M ^r Dixon Minifter	16000 & caslk
To D ^o . for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawfon Clerk	1200 & caslk
To John Davis for D ^o & Clark of Vestry	1700 & caslk
To Ann Pallister Sexton	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton	400
To Capt. John Clayton Cl ^k . of y ^e County	454
To M ^r Charles Tomkies Sheriff	72
To Elizabeth Evans & Two Children	800
To Ann Pallister for Keeping Two Children 3 months	150
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Deborah Edwards for Keeping Chrifian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge	300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother	500
To Thomas Jarrett for Keeping his father	400
To Lewis Peed for Keeping Onner Powers	1000
To John Hudgen for Keeping y ^e Child of Afh Berries	583
To Thomas Forreft for Keeping y ^e Said Child two Months	117

To Richard Davis for clearing the New Church yard	100
To Hannah Fordom Widdow	300
To Robert Bridge	300
To George Mullens for taking Thomas Longest a Child of Mary Longest off y ^e P ^{ar} ish, & y ^e Child to be bound to him	800
To Izbel Parrett Widdow	300
Carried over	30194
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To Acc ^t Brought over	30194
For the reverend M ^r John Dixon his his Acc ^t . £10 13 2 to be paid in Toba ^a at 15/ ¶ C ^t	1420
To M ^r Charles Blacknall for Acc ^t .	277¾
To Joseph King to be Lodged in the Church wardens hands till he has Complied with his agreem ^t . Viz £15 0 0 to be Deducted for an acc ^t paid M ^r Jamefon ¶ Charles Blacknall £4 8 10½ £10 11 1½	1408
To be Left in the Church wardens hands till ordered out by the Vestry for Repairs to the old Church	4000
6 p ^r C ^t . on the whole for Collecting is	2283
4 p ^r C ^t . on 18900 for Cask is	756
	40338

Cap^t. Kemp Plummer & M^r Hugh Gwyn Appointed Church-wardens for the Ensuing year

Order'd that Cap^t. Kemp Plummer Do receive of Each Tithable Person in this ¶ arish 28 pounds of Toba^a To Satisfie The Several Creditors

Cap^t. William Plummer having Taken The Oaths according to law is admitted Vestryman

Ordered That the Church wardens Do Endeavour to Procure a Deed for Land Sufficient for a Church yard at Each

Church from the Proprietors of the Land adjoining the Churches

1451 Tithab[] 28th p^r Tith[] Depoſ^r 290

Sign'd By John Dixon Jun^r Rect^r

(45)

I A B do ſwear that I will be faithfull & bear true Allegiance to his Maſteſty King George the ſecond ſo help me god

I A B do ſwear that I do from my heart Abhor deteſt and abjure as Impious & hereticall that Damnable doctrine and Poſition that Princes excommunicated or deprived by the Pope or any Authority of the ſee of Rome may be depoſed or Murthered by their Subjects or any other whatſoever & I do declare that no Forreign Prince Perſon Prelate ſtate or Potentate hath or ought to have any Jurisdiction Power Superiority Preminence or Authority Eccleſiaſtical or Spiritual in this Realm ſo help me God

I A B do truly and ſincerely acknowledge Profeſs teſtifie and declare in my conſcience before God and the world that our Sovereign Lord King George the ſecond is Lawfull and Rightfull King of this Realm & of all other his Maſteſty's dominions and Countrys thereunto belonging and I do Sollemnly & Sincerely declare that I do believe in my Conſcience that the Perſon Pretended to be Prince of Wales during the life of the late King James and ſince his deceaſe Pretending to be and taking upon himſelf the ſtile and Title of King of England by the name of James the Third or of Scotland by the name of James the Eighth or the Stile & title of King of Great Britain hath not any right or title whatſoever to the Crown of this realm or any other the Dominions thereunto belonging & I do renounce reſuſe & Abjure any Allegiance or Obedience to him and I do ſwear that I will bear faith and true Allegiance to his Maſteſty King George the ſecond & him will Defend to the Utmoſt of my power agst all traiterous

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William James

1757 October 24th — John Armistead

We the Subscribers will be conformable to g^d Doctrine
& Discipline of the Church of England as it is now by Law
established.

Mr. Hayes

Henry Plummer

Charles Blacknall

Apr. 1877.

John Peyton

Wm. H. Bayes

John Armstrong

Thos. Smith

Thompson & Whiting

Wm. Brewster

Edw. Hughes

St. Louis

Thos. Hayer

Conspiracies and Attempts whatsoever which shall be made against his Person Crown & Dignity & I will do my Utmost Endeavour to disclose & make Known to his Majesty and his Successors all treasons and traitorous Conspiracys which I shall Know to be agst him or any of them & I do faithfully promise to the Utmost of my power to Support Maintain & defend the succession of the Crown agst him the s^a James and all other Persons whatsoever as the same by an act Intituled an act for the further Limitation of the Crown and better Securing the rights and Liberties of the Subject is & stands Limited to the Princess Sophia Electorefs and Dutchefs Dowager of Hannover & the heirs of her body being Protestants and all these things I do truly and Sincerely Acknowledge according to the Express words by me Spoken and (46) according to the Plain and Common sense & Understanding of the same words without any Equivocation mental evasion or Secret reservation whatsoever and I do make this recognition Acknowledgement Abjuration renunciation & promise heartily willingly and truly upon the true faith of a Christian
So help me God

We whose names are here under Written do declare that we do believe that there is not any transubstantiation in the Sacrament of the Lords Supper or in the Elements of bread & wine at or after the Consecration thereof by any Person whatsoever

William Plummer

1757 October 24th John Armistead

We the Subscribers will be conformable to y^e Doctrine & Discipline of the Church of England as it is now by Law established

Tho^s Hayes

Kemp Plummer

Charles Blacknall

Nov^r 29. 1760

W^m Plummer

Jn^o Peyton

W^m Hayes
 John Armistead
 Tho^s: Smith
 Kemp Whitinge
 W^m Armistead
 Edw^d: Hughes
 Jⁿ^o Willis
 Tho^s Hayes
 (47) Geo: Dudley
 Gabriel Hughes

(48)
 Kingston At a vestry Held for this parri^{sh} the
 Parrish 11th Day of April 1757
 The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minifter
 Gent^m Cap^t George Dudley M^r William Tabb
 Present Cap^t. Gwyn Reade M^r Charles Debnam
 M^r John Hayes M^r Charles Blacknall

This Day M^r Jefferson Dunbar Laid an acc^t before the Vestry of £68||1||8¼ it is agreed by the Said vestry That his work Materials &c. is worth No more than £40. which the Said vestry agreed to give him but he refused to take it

To End the Dispute the vestry and the Said Dunbar have agreed that Alexander Sanders Shall value the work and both Parties Shall abide by his Decijion

John Dixon Ju^r. Rec^r

This day M^r Sanders & M^r Dunbarr met and M^r Sanders Measured the work &c & agreed that the work &c as ^{ff} acc^t is worth £51||12||7½

May 2th 1757

Cha^s: Blacknall

(49)
 Kingston At a Vestry Held for this parif^h Octob^r 24th
 Pif^h 1757
 Present The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minister M^r Hugh
 Gwyn Cap^t George Dudley Cap^t Gwyn Reade M^r Charles
 Debnam M^r William Tabb M^r Charles Blacknall

Order'd Thatt Tobacco be Levied & paid as follows Viz.

To the rever'd Mr John Dixon Minisr	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents	128
To Thomas Dawson Clk	1200 & cask
To John Davis D ^o & Cl ^k of Veftry	1700 & cask
To Ann Palister Sexton	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton	400
To Cap ^t Clayton Cl ^k County	48
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children	800
To Ann palisters heirs for keeping Jn ^o Morgan	250
To Elizabeth Baker for Keeping Jane Hundley	400
To Elizabeth Baker for her Self	200
To Avarilla Bride	400
To Eleanor Huts	500
To John Bridge to be paid to Mr Charles Blacknall	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To George Hudgen for Keeping a Child	700
To Christian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow	300
To Sarah Merchant for her Mother	500
To Capt Thomas Hayes for Keeping Hon. powers	1000
To John Davis for keeping Afhbury's Child	450
To Hannah Fordam	300
To Robert Bridge	300
To Isabella Parrot	300
To Sarah White	500
To Mary Bridge Widdow	500
To Thomas Lewis Constable for services	258
To Sarah Parrot for keeping a bastard Child 5 months	167
To John Rispefs for keeping Dorothy Jarrett	400
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	29841
(50) Brought over	29841
To John Davis for keeping Church Ornam ^{ts}	200

To Easter Hundley for Ann Craufords Children	200
To Cap ^t Kemp Plummer for keeping a bastard Child	800
To the Churchwardens to Enable them to pay £24 12 7½ Being the Ballance Due to Jefferson Dunbar	4000
To the Rever'd M ^r John Dixon for Wine and Land tax £3 4 ^s 6 ^d	461
To D ^o for paling 500 foot @ 3 ^s £6 5 0	892
To Thomas Dawson for keeping plate. &c.	200
To Ann craford for her Children	300
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	36894
To 4. p ^r . C ^t . on 18900 is	756
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	37650
To 6 ³ / ₄ C ^t . for collecting	2259
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M^r Hugh Gwyn & Cap^t. Kemp Plummer continued Churchwardens

Ordered That M^r Hugh Gwyn Do recieve of Each Tithable person in this parish 27 lbs Toba^s. the Number According to the List being 1481 78 Depos^r.

M^r John Armistead took the oaths appointed By Law and is Admitted a Veftryman

Ordered That that the collector pay Cap^t Thomas Hayes £1||5^s for the Negro boy in tobacco @ 14/ which comes to 178½

Cap^t John Peyton is appointed a Veftryman in the room of M^r William Elliott Deceas'd

John Dixon Jun^r Rect^r

(51)
Parish At a Veftry Held for this Parish Octob^r. 23^d.
Kingston 1758

Present

The Rever^d Mr John Dixon Minister

Mr Hugh Gwyn C. Kemp Plummer Churchwardens Mr John
Hayes Mr Charles Debnam Capt. Thomas Hayes Mr Charles
Blacknall C. Gwyn Reade Mr William Tabb Capt William
Plummer Capt. John Peyton

Ordered that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Revd Mr John Dixon Minister	16000 & Cask
To Ditto for shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quitrents	128
To Ditto for Wine and tax on the Glebe Land	502
To Mr John Clayton Clk of the County	18
To Thomas Dawson Cl ^k	1200 & caslk
To John Davis for Ditto & Cl ^k of Vestry	1700 & caslk
To Ifabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton of the old Church	400
To Elizabeth Evans & two Children	800
To Catharine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping her Mother	200
To Avarilla Bridge	400
To Elenor Huts	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To Hudgen for Keeping a Lame Child	700
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widdow	300
To Sarah Merchant for Keeping her Mother to be paid to Mr Charles Blacknall	500
To Capt ^r Thomas Hayes for Keeping Oner Powers	1000
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ash- bury	450
To Hannah Fordam Widdow	300
To John Bridge for Keeping & Burying His Father	300
To Mary Bridge Widdow	200
To John Rispaßs for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	400

To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments	200
To W ^m Angel for Keeping a bastard Child to be paid to M ^r . Cha ^s Blacknall	800
To Robert Parrett to take Gregory Crauford off the parish	1000
To D ^o . for Keeping a Child of Ann Craufords	500

31038

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To Accompt Brought over	31038
To Sarah Bafset for her self	300
To Cap ^t Gwyn Reade for Cash & plank for Rob ^t . Bridges Coffin	27
To William Chandler for Keeping a Bastard Child 8 months	400
To M ^r William Hayes for John Bolton his acc ^t of 10 5 4 to be paid in tobacco @ 2 ^d ₤	1232
To Sarah Lovel	300
To 4 p ^r C ^t on 18900	756

34053

To 6 p ^r C ^t . for Collecting	2043
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36096

Ordered That Cap^t William Plummer & Cap^t. John Peyton
Do stand Church wardens for the Ensuing year

Ordered That Cap^t. John Peyton Do receive of Each Tith-
able Person in this Parish 25th Tobacco to Sattisfie the sev-
eral Creditors

Ordered that the Collector Do pay the Rever'd M^r John
Dixon five Shillings & four pence out of the Depos^t & the
Remains to Thomas Dawson

M^r John Hayes Did this Day Resign his place of Vestryman

Ordered that M^r William Hayes & M^r Humphry Toye,
Tabb is this Day Chosen vestrymen in the room of Cap^t
George Dudley Deceased & M^r John Hayes Resign'd

(53)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish The 5th Day of November in the year 1759

Present. The Rever'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Capt. William Plummer, Capt. John Peyton Church wardens
Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r William Tabb M^r Charles Blacknall
M^r Charles Debnam M^r William Hayes Cap^t. Thomas Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon	16000 & Caslk
To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quitrents and Accot	546
To Thomas Dawson Clerk	1200 & Caslk
To John Davis Ditto & Cl ^k of Vestry	1700 & Caslk
To Ifabel Parrot Sexton of the New Church	400
To Mary Gordan Sexton of the old ditto	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Eleanor Huts Widow	500
To John Bridge	400
To Lucy Summers	300
To Robert Hall for Keeping Hugh Brooks	600
To Christian Owen	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	300
To Ann Brookes for Keeping Mary Bolton	500
To Thomas Hayes for keeping & Burying oner powers	783½
To William Brounley for Keeping Joseph Ashberry	450
To Hannah fordam Widow	300
To Mary Bridge Widow	200
To Robert Sadler for Keeping Dorothy Jarrett	300
To John Davis for Keeping Church Ornam ^{ts} .	200
To William Angel for Keeping a bastard Child	400
To Mary Flippen for Keeping Ann Craufords Child	450

To Sarah Bafset	300	
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Brought over 28269½		
To Aaron Hudgen for Keeping a bastard Child	600	
To W ^m Hayes for boarding John Bolton & Curing his Sore foot	1704	
To Sarah Lovel Widow	400	
To Tho ^s Lewis Conftable for sundry Services	54	
To Robert Hunley for a Coffin for Dorothy Jarrett	60	
To Charles Blacknall for sundry Lawyers fees	540	
To Joseph King for taring and painting the Veftry Houfe and making fires therein Dur- ing the Winter seafon	356	
To Thomas Hayes for burying of Mofes Owen and taking Care of his Widow in her sicknefs	285	
To W ^m Plummer for two Barryls Corn for Ann owen	150	
To W ^m Brounley for a Levy over paid laft year	25	
To John Davis for making a fire in the veftry houfe at the Lower Church	100	
To Elizabeth Evens and two Children	800	
To Sufannah Sadler	300	
To Robert Sadler for Burying Dorothy Jarrett	60	
To Ann owen to be paid to Tho ^s Hayes for Rent	200	
To Sufannah Driver and two Children	200	
To Thomas Peak for keeping a bastard Child 2½ months at £7 ꝯ Annum	175	
To the Rever'd M ^r Dixon for building a Quar- ter and Corn Houfe on the Glebe	1341	
4 ꝯ C ^t . on 18900	756	
		36375½
6 ꝯ C ^t . for Collecting	2182	2182
Tithables 1450		38557½

(55)

Ordered That W^m Plummer and John Peyton Gent^m be continued Churchwardens the Ensueing year and that W^m Plummer Gent^e be appointed to collect of Each Tithable Person in this Parish twenty six Pounds & half of Tobacco to satisfy the several creditors

Ordered That the Parish be divided into the usual Precincts and that such Persons as the Church wardens Name in each precinct be Procefsioners

Ordered That John Peyton Gent^m do pay to the Rev'd M^r Dixon the ballance which now remains in his hands of the Last Collection

Ordered That a well built Quarter Twenty Feet long & sixteen feet wide; and a corn House Sixteen Feet long & twelve Feet wide be built at the Glebe by the Rev'd M^r Dixon for Which he is to be allow'd one Thousand five hundred pounds of Tobacco

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At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 29th 1760

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Capt. William Plummer Capt John Peyton Church Wardens

Capt. Thomas Hayes, Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r Charles Blacknall M^r William Hayes Gent^m of the Vestry

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To the reverend M ^r John Dixon Minis ^r	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quitrents and accompt for Wine	528
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County	18
To Tho ^s . Dawson Clerk	1200 & cask
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Isabella Parrot Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis Ditto of the old Church	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catharine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400

To Judith Machen for Keeping Eleanor Huts	500
To Thomas Peak for John Bridge	400
To Rich ^d Summers for Keeping his mother 2 months in sickness	150
To Rob ^t Reaves for keeping Lucy summers some time & burying her	150
To Rob ^t Hall for keeping Hugh Brookes	600
To Christian owen	400
To Elizabeth Bride Widow	500
To Ann Brookes for keeping Mary Bolton	500
To William Brownley for Keeping Joseph Ashbury	450
To Hannah Fordam widow	300
To John Davis for keeping Church ornaments	200
To W ^m Angel for keeping a bastard Child, To be paid to Langley Billups	400
To Mary Flippen for keeping Ann Craufords Child	450
To Sarah Bafsett	300
To Sarah Lovel Widow	400
To Ifabella Parrott for Keeping the upper Vestry House in good order	100
To John Davis Keeping the Lower ditto in good order	100
To Elizabeth Evans two Hundred & her son to be bound out	200
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping Her lame Daughter	300
To Ann owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas Hayes for Rent	200

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To Acc ^t brought over	
To the Rev'd John Dixon a farther allowance for the quarter	286
To accmpt not levied last year for the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon	86

To Sufannah Driver for Keeping her two Children	300
To Rob ^t Hunley for making a Coffin for Eleanor Huts	60
To Rob ^t Hall for taking Hugh Brookes off the Parish	600
To 4 p ^r C ^t . on 18900 allow'd for casfk	756
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To 6 p ^r C ^t . for Collecting	1834
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Ordered that Capt, William Hayes and Capt, Thomas Hayes do stand Church wardens for the Enfueing year

Ordered That Cap^t William Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish 22½ pounds of Tobacco to Satisfy the Several creditors there being 1481 Tithables in the list there remaining 914 to be accounted for by the Collector

This Day Capt Gwyn Read by Letter to the Gent^m of vestry Does resign his place of vestryman

Ordered Cap^t. Thomas Smith M^r Kemp Whiting and M^r George Dudley be chosen vestrymen, in the room of M^r Charles Debnam Deceas'd M^r Hump^r. Toye Tabb Deceas'd and Capt Gwyn Reade Refign'd

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John Davis

(58)

At a Vestry Held for Kingstons Parish Nov^r 9th 1761

The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister, Cap^t Tho^s Hayes Church Warden Maj^r Kemp Plummer M^r Charles Blacknall, M^r Kemp Whiting M^r W^m Plummer M^r Tho^s Smith M^r John Armistead

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & casfk
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quitrents & acc ^t	720

To Cap ^t John Clayton Cl ^k of the County	54
To John Davis Cl ^k of the lower Church & vestry	1700 & cas ^k
To Tho ^s Dawson Cl ^k of the upper Church	1200 & cas ^k
To Isabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To John owen for his Sister Christian owen & burying her	400
To Elizabeth Bridge widow	500
To Mary Bolton	500
To William Brownley for keeping Joseph Ash- bery	350
To hannah Fordom Widow	300
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornaments	200
To Mary Flippen for Keeping ann Craufords Child	400
To Sarah Bafset	300
To John Davis for keeping the lower vestry House	100
To Tho ^s . Dawson	48
To Isabella Parrett for keeping the upper vest ^y House	100
To Jufanna Sadler for keeping her lame Daugh ^r	300
To Ann owen Widow to be paid to Cap ^t Thomas Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Green widow	500
To Joanna Barnett widow & Children	300
To Mary Baxter widow	500
To W ^m Angel for keeping a bastard Child	400

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To Henry Powel for looking after a sick man & burying him	300
To John Bufh	250

To 4 p^r C ^t . on 18900 for cask	756
To be left in the hands of the Church wardens towards Repairing the Glebe house & build- ing a room 16 x 20 with brick and a Brick Chimney	5000
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	33818
To 6 p^r C ^t . on the whole for collecting	2029
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35847

Ordered That the Church wardens have Power to agree with workmen to build a gallery in the old Church

Ordered That Cap^t. Thomas Hayes & Cap^t. William Hayes Do Stand Church wardens for the Ensueing year

Ordered that Cap^t. Thomas Hayes do receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish $24\frac{1}{2}$ lb Tobacco to sattify the several Creditors there being 1486 tithables on the list

Memorand^m That M^r Hugh Gwyn By Mefsage to the vestry Refigns his Place of of vestryman which if he confirms under his hand M^r Edward Hughes is agreed to be Chosen in his room

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John Davis Cl^k V.

(60)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 1st. 1762

Present, The Reverend M^r John Dixon Minister Capt. Tho^s Hayes Capt William Hayes Churchwardens, Maj.^r Kemp Plummer M^r William Tabb Capt. William Plummer, Capt. John Peyton Capt. Thomas Smith M^r Kemp Whiting M^r George Dudley

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the Rever'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To D ^o for Shrinkage	640
To D ^o for Quitrents and acc ^t	645
To Capt John Clayton Cl ^k of the Court	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of the Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask

To Thomas Dawjon Clerk of the upper Church	1200 & caslk
To Ifabella Parrett Sexton of the upper Church	400
To John Davis sexton of the Lower Church	400
To Thomas Dawjon for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Averilla Bridge	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	500
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah	400
To John Davis for Keeping Church ornam ^{ts}	
Cushions &c	200
To Sarah Bafset Widow	300
To John Davis for making fires in the Lower vestry house	100
To Ifabell Parret for d ^s of the upper vestry house	100
To Ann owen, to be paid to Capt. Tho ^s Hayes for rent	200
To Sufanna Sadler for Keeping her lame Daughter	300
To Elizabeth Green Widow	500
To Joanna Barnet and Children	300
To Mary Baxter Widow	500
To William Angel for taking the Child off the Parish that he has formerly kept	200
To John Bufh	250
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping Tho ^s Thur- stons Child	200
To Rob ^t Hudgen	400

 27053

(61)

To Acc ^t Brought up	27053
To Maj ^r Kem Plummer for a levy over paid last year	24½
To Cap ^t W ^m Plummer for a levy over Charged.	26½
To Matthew Gayle for two Levies over	

charged	49
To Aaron Hudgen for keeping a Child 7 months	35 ⁰
To Cap ^t . W ^m Hayes to Ballance of His acct.	676
To be left in the Churchwardens hands to pay M ^r Jefferson Dunbar for Building on the Glebe &c. and Gallery in the Church	10000
To Augustine Degge for Levies over paid last year	122½
To 4 [¶] Ct. on 18900 allow'd for cask	756
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To 6 [¶] C ^t for Collecting	2343
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	41406½

1424 Tithable[] 208 Depos^t after J. Deg[] is paid 400 for W^m ange[]

Ordered That Cap^t Thomas Smith and M^r Kemp Whiting do Stand Churchwardens for the enfueing year

Ordered That Cap^t Tho^s Smith Do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish 29½ lb^s. of Tobacco to sattify the several Criditors

Ordered That the collector Do pay Joseph Degge for W^m Angel 400 lb Tobacco out of the Depos^t and acct for the rest at the laying of our next levy

Ordered that M^r Edward Hughes & M^r James Ranfone Be chosen Vestrymen in the room of M^r Charles Blacknall and M^r John Armistead Deceas'd

ordered That Moses Hudgen and Richard Machen be levy free

Witness

John Davis

* The original addition was 39063½. Later the two last digits were overwritten with a 5 and a 7 respectively, and the total then read 39057½; but no corresponding change was made in the final total, 41406½.—C. G. C.

(62)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 28th 1763
 Present, The Rever'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Capt. Thomas Smith, M^r Kemp Whiting Church wardens,
 Capt William Hayes, Capt. John Peyton, Maj^r Kemp Plum-
 mer, M^r William Tabb, M^r George Dudley, Capt Thomas
 Hayes, M^r James Ranfone.

Ordered That Toba^o be Levied as follows Viz.

To the Rev'd M ^r . John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quitrency and acc ^t	630
To Capt. John Clayton Cl ^k of y ^e County Court	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of the Lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Tho ^s Dawson d ^o of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ifabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis d ^o of the old Church	400
To Thomas Dawson for Keeping the Plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To Sarah Bafset	400
To Ifabella Parrett for making fires in the upper vestry house	100
To John Davis for ditto of the lower vestry House	100
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Thomas Hayes for Rent	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	500
To Elizabeth Green widow and Small Children	500
To Joanna Barnett widow and small Children	300
To Mary Baxter	500
To Sufann Sadler for keeping Tho ^s Thurstons Child	200
To John Bush	250

To Sufannah Sadler for keeping her Daugh ^r having fits & lame	500
To Langley Billups for 2 levies not receivd	49
To Doc ^r John Symmer for John Bufhes wife and Ann Burton	871½
To Ann Owen Allow'd to build her an house	400
To Capt. William Hayes on acc ^t of Ann Burton	432
To M ^r Rob ^t Dalglesifh for Tho ^s Newburn on acc ^t . Averilla Bridge	200
To Rob ^t Hall to take Tho ^s Thurfstons Child off the Parifh	500

28790

(63)

To Acc ^t . Bro ^t . over	28790
To be left in the Church wardens hand to- wards paying off M ^r Jefferson Dunbars acc ^t	4483
To be left in the Church wardens Hands to- ward repairing the old Church	2500
To Whenefred Longest	500
To 4 p ^r . C.t. on 18900 for Cask	756

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To 6 p ^r . C ^t . for Collecting	2221
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39250

Ordered That Capt. Thomas Smith and M^r Kemp Whiting
do Stand Church wardens for the Enfueing year

Ordered That M^r. Kemp Whiting do receive of each Tith-
able person in this Parifh 25½th Tobaⁿ to Satisfy the several
Creditors

This day M^r William Tabb Refign'd his place of vestryman

Ordered That M^r Robt Tabb have notice that he is Chofen
vestryman In the room of M^r William Tabb Refign'd

Tiths for the year 1763 1552 Depof^r. 326

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John Davis Cl^k

At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish aug^t. 15 1763

Present, The Rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minister

Capt^r Tho^s Smith, M^r Kemp Whiting, Churchwardens Capt.
Tho^s Hayes, Maj^r Kemp Plummer, M^r William Tabb Capt.
William Hayes, Cap^t John Peyton, M^r George Dudley M^r.
Edward Hughes, M^r James Ranfone,

Ordered That the Church wardens get three Windows put
into the Church and have the beam cut away and and get
the Pews mended and any other small Repairs they Shall
Think Necefsary

Resolvd that Jefferson Dunbar has not compleated the plaif-
tering of the Gallery in a workmanlike manner

Test

John Davis

(64)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r. 19th in the
year 1764

Present The rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minis^r

Capt. Thomas Smith M^r Kemp Whiting Church warden
Capt. Tho^s Hayes, Capt W^m Hayes, C, John Peyton, M^r
George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes M^r James Ranfone Maj^r
Kemp Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz.

To the rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minis ^r	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quitrence & accompt	700
To Capt. John Clayton Cl ^k	18
To John Davis Clk. of lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Tho ^s Dawson Ditto of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ifabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for Keeping the plate	200
To Catherine marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom	400

To John Davis for Keeping John Davis for Keeping Church Ornaments Cushions &c	200
To Sarah Bafset	400
To Ifabella Parrott for making fires in the upper Vestry House	100
To John Davis for d ^r of the lower vestry house	100
To Ann Owen for rent to be paid to C. Tho ^s Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Elizabeth Green Widow	500
To Joannah Barnett and Small Children	300
To Mary Baxter	500
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping Daughter having fits and Lame	500
To John Ripley for 1 levy over paid last year	25½
To Tho ^s pool for one levy over paid last year & 1 this year	55
To M ^r Gabriel Hughes to finish Ann Owens House	366
To W ^m Blake to his Ballance	680
To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon to pay Jefferson Dunbar 18 9 9	2464
[] ^{rs} Mary Tabb for for Elizabeth Lovet	533

(65)

To acc ^t bro ^t up	
To Elizabeth Turner and Small Children	500
To Thomas Newburn for a year to come Keep- ing Elizabeth Parrots Bastard	500
To 4. ꝥ ^r C ^t . on 18900 for cask	756
To 6. ꝥ ^r C ^t for Collecting	
Orererd That M ^r . Kemp Whiting do pay 11 7 1 out of the money in his hands to W ^m Blake and also	20 7 3 to
Jefferson Dunbar	
Ordered That James Howgate & Thomas Williams be Levy free	

Ordered That M^r George Dudley and M^r Edward Hughes be appointed Church Wardens, and M^r George Dudley is authorized to receive twenty three pounds of Tobacco for each Tithable person in this parish

Ordered That two Dials presented to the parish by the Rev'd John Dixon be fixed up on Substantial and neat posts of Cedar Locust or Mulberry to be paid for out of the Tob^e left in the Collectors hands being 532 ^{lbs}.

Ordered. That what shall be left in the Collectors hands after putting up the Dials and also 326^{lb} of Tob^e in M^r Kemp Whittings Hands be paid to M^r Robert Billups for maintaining Elizabeth Hooks Bastard But the Church wardens are Desired to bring suit against the father of the Child, and Prosecute the Woman, and all others who have Bastards for the Fine

Test

John Davis.

(66)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Octobr 28th 1765

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister

M^r George Dudley, M^r Edward Hughes Church Wardens
Capt. William Hayes Capt, John Peyton M^r Kemp Whiting
M^r James Ranfone, M^r Robert Tabb, Capt Tho^s, Hayes

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for quitrents and acc ^t of 4 15 3	476
To Capt John Clayton Clerk of the County Court	265½
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ifsabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis sexton of the old d ^e	400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the plate	200
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600

To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornaments Cushions &c, & Making fires in the Vestry House	300
To Ifsabella Parrett for making fires in the upper Vestry House	100
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Ann Owen to be paid to Capt. Tho ^s Hayes for Rent	200
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Elizabeth Green Widow	400
To Joanna Barnett Widow & Children	300
To Mary Baxter Widow	500
To Sufannah Sadler for Keeping her Lane Daughter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	500
To Judith Machen Widow	200
To George Mullins for taking James Lov ^t son of Elizabeth Lovet off the Parish	1200
To Richard Summers for Burying Richard Bush	100
	<u>27981½</u>
(67)	
To Acc ^t . Brought over	27981½
To Ifsabella Parrett to Enable her to keep Eliz- abeth Parrets Child the Enfueing year	400
To M ^r . Peter Bernard for Delinquents	230
To M ^r George Dudley for 3/9 Paid for Writs	18½
To Doc ^r Georg Johnson to pay 3 15 11 Curing Wheneford Longests Leg	378
To Judith Miller Towards Building her house	500
To Jane Reaves	300
To M ^r Gabriel Hughes	37
To 4 Ⓕ C ^t on 18900 for cajk	<u>756</u>
	30601
To 6 Ⓕ C ^t for Collecting	<u>1836</u>
	32437

Ordered That M^r George Dudley and M^r Edward Hughes
Do stand Church wardens for the Ensueing year

Ordered That M^r Langley Billups Do receive of Each Tith-
able person in this Parish 22¼ lb^s Tobacco to sattisfy the
several Creditors

Ordered That M^r Langley Billups do acc^t for the remainder
of 222 lbs Toba^s at the Laying the Next Parish Levy

Witnefs

John Davis

(68)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 18th. 1766

Prefent The Rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minister

M^r. Edward Hughes, M^r George Dudley, Church wardens
Capt Thomas Hayes, Capt William Hayes Cap^t. Thomas Smith
M^r James Ranfone, M^r Robert Tabb, Maj^r William Plummer

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows Viz

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	1600 & cask
To d ^o for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quitrents & wine £4 15 3	549
To Cap ^t John Clayton	18
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e Lower Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ifsabella Parrett Sexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis d ^o of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Tho ^s Dawson for keeping the Plate	200
To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To Jn ^o Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} . Cushions &c & making fires in the Vestry Houfe	300
To Ifsabella Parrett for making fires in the upper Vestry Houfe	100
To Sarah Bafset widow	400
To Ann Owen	200

To Elizabeth Bridge	600
To Elizabeth Green widow	200
To Mary Baxter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow	200
To Jane Reaves Widow, to be paid to W ^m Anderton	300
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping her Daughter being lame & having fits	500
To 4 $\frac{3}{4}$ C ^t on 18900 for cask	756

26863

(69)

To acc ^t bro ^t up	26863
To Richard Morgan & his Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To John Soper	500
To Elias Pew to Enable him to School a Child two years	250
To Joseph Tabor for keeping Elizabeth Soles Child Six months past	300
To M ^r George Dudley for Cutting Pines in the New Church Yard	50
To M ^r Langley Billups for Ball ^o of Levies Over Charg'd Last year	84½
To be Paid to the Church wardens for Clothing Hugh Brookes	200
To Thomas Williams towards Clothing him	300
To M ^{rs} Mary Blacknall to Enable her to keep Ann Colemons Child the Ensuing year	300
To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Pailing the Garden and Covering the Cellar and Stable and finding all	1350

30897

To 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ C^t. for Collecting

1853

32750

Ordered That M^r Robert Tabb and M^r James Ranfone Act as Church wardens the Enfueing year

Ordered that M^r Langley Billups be appointed Collector and that he Receive of Each Titheable Perfon in this Parish the sum of Twenty two Pounds of Tobaⁿ to Satisfy the several Creditors above mentioned

Sign'd by the Rev'd M^r John Dixon
Witnefs

John Davis

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Sept^r 28th 1767

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister
Maj^r Kemp Plummer Maj^r William Plummer Cap^t. John Peyton Cap^t. Thomas Smith Cap^t W^m Hayes M^r Kemp Whiting M^r. George Dudley M^r Rob^t Tabb

Ordered that M^r William Armistead of Hefse be appointed vestry man in the Room of M^r James Ranfone Decea'd
Witnefs

John Davis

(70)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 23^a 1767

Present The Rev^d M^r John Dixon Minister Cap^t. Tho^s. Hayes Maj^r. Kemp Plummer Cap^t. W^m Hayes Cap^t John Peyton M^r George Dudley M^r. Kemp Whiting, M^r Edward Hughes Cap^t Thomas Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To the Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Minister	16000 & cask
To ditto for Shrinkage	640
To ditto for Quitrents and acc ^t £4 15 3	476
To be paid for Copy of the List of Tithables	18
To John Davis Clark of the Lower Church & vestry	1700 & cask
To Thomas Dawson Cl ^k of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Isabella Parot Sexton of the New Church	400
To J ⁿ ^s Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Thomas Dawson for keeping the Plate	200

To Mary Bolton	600
To Hannah Fordom Widow	400
To J ⁿ Davis for Keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c and making fires in the Lower Veftry Houfe	300
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow	200
To Mary Baxter	500
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Sufanna Sadler for keeping her Lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan and his Wife	300
To Martha Chriftian Widow & Children	400
To M ^{rs} Ann Blacknall for keeping Ann Cole- mans Child	300
To Richard Longeft for Keeping Dorothy Par- rots Child the year Laft paft; to be paid to the Rev ^d John Dixon	600
To Jofeph Tabor for Keeping the Child of Elizabeth Soles The year laft paft to be paid to M ^r Langley Billups	600
(71)	
Brought over	28034
To Sufannah Sadler	100
To Mofes Hudgen for a Levy over paid laft year	22
To James Huggate	200
To Jofeph King 5 ^s /	25
To M ^r Robert Dalgeifh 10/	50
To 4 th C ^t . on 18900 for Cafk	756
To Ifsabella Parrot for making fires in the Veftry Houfe at the New Church	100
To Henry Hunley for 3 Levies over paid laft year	66

To Wilkinfon Hunley for 10 ditto	220
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To M ^r Langley Billups for Tithables given him in the Laft year that he cant receive Levies from	564
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	30437
To 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ C ^t . for Collecting	1826
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	32263

Ordered That M^r Robert Tabb do receive of each Tithable Perfon in this Pariſh 21 lb^s of Tobacco to Sattify the Several Creditors

Ordered That Cap^t John Peyton do Stand Churchwarden for the Enfueing year With M^r Robert Tabb

Signed by The Rev'd M^r John Dixon

Witnefs

John Davis

(72)

At a Veftry Held for Kingſton Pariſh Dec^r 12th 1768

Preſent The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Miniſ^r M^r Rob^t. Tabb
Cap^t John Peyton, Churchwardens Cap^t W^m Hayes M^r Kemp
Whiting M^r George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes Cap^t. Thomas
Smith

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon Miniſter	16000 & caſk
To d ^o for Shrinkage	640
To Cap ^t John Clayton for Copy of Liſt of Tithables	18
572 To The rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Quitrents & wine £4 15 ^s 5 ^d	572
To John Davis Clerk of y ^e old Church	1700 & caſk
To Thomas Dawſon d ^o of the New Church	1200 & caſk
To Iſſabella Parret ſexton of the New Church	400
To John Davis ditto of the old Church	400
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Thomas Dawſon for keeping the plate	200

To Mary Bolton Widow to be paid to Robert Cully	600
To Hannah Fordam Widow	400
To John Davis for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To John Davis for making fires in the Vestry House	100
To Ihsabella Parrett for making fires in the upper ditto	100
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to Cap ^t Tho ^s Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow & Children	300
To Jane Reaves Widow to be paid to William Ander ^{ton}	300
To Sufanna Sadler for her Lane Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan and Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To Richard Longest for keeing Dorothy Parets Child	500
To M ^{rs} Mary Blacknall for keeping ann Coleman's Child	400
To Joseph Tabor for keeping Elizabeth Soles's Child To be paid to Langley Billups	400
To James Hugget	200
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300

28030

(73)

To Acc ^t Bro ^t up	28030
To 4 ₤ C ^t . on 18900 for Cask	756
To be left in the Church wardens Hands towards paying the Doctors for John Soper	1200
To Ann King Widow and Children	300
To M ^r Richard Gregory for provifion for S ^a	

Ann King	250
To Joshua Bridge for a wons Lying in and board at his house seven weeks to be paid to Fran ^s Miller	150
To M ^r John Billups for Corn for Elizabeth Treacle	150
To M ^r Robert Tabb for 19 Tithables that he cannot Receive Levies from	399
To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon for Building a Quarter on the Glebe £40	4000
To ditto for an House for the Overseer 16 x 12 £5	500
To ditto for repairing the Vestry House at the old Church	200
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	35935
To 6 p C for Collecting	2156
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	38091

Ordered That M^r Charles Tompkies Sheriff do Collect and
Receive of each Tithable person in this Parish 24¹/₄ lbs of
Tobacco to sattify the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r William Armistead stand Church warden
the Enfueing year with Sir. John Peyton

Ordered That Cap^t Francis Armistead Have Notice That
he is Chofen Vestryman in Stead of M^r Hugh Gwyn Resign'd
Tef^t John Davis

(74)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Dec^r 11th 1769

Present The Rev'd M^r John Dixon Minister

Sir John Peyton William Armistead Gent^l Church Wardens
Capt. William Hayes, Capt. Tho^s. Smith, M^r Edward Hughes,
M^r. Robert Tabb M^r. George Dudley

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rever'd M^r John Dixon Minister 16000 & cask

To Ditto for Shrinkage	640
To Ditto for Quitrents and acc ^t	1615
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy of the Lift Tithables	18
To John Davis Cl ^k of Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Ditto Sexton of old Church	400
To Ditto for keeping Church Ornaments Cush- ions &c	200
To Ditto for making fires in thie Lower Vestry House	100
To Thomas Dawson Clerk of the New Church	1200 & cask
To Ditto for keeping the Plate	200
To Robert Sadler & Ann King Sextons of New Church	400
To Ditto for keeping fires in the Vestry House	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton	600
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow to be paid to C. Tho ^s Hayes	200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow & Children	300
To Judith Machen	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping her lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan & Wife	300
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To James Hugget	200
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300
To Joseph Tabor for keeping & burying Eliz ^a Soles Child	400
To Richard Longest for keeping keeping Dor- othy Parrets Child, to be paid to Thomas Flippen	500

28273

(75)	
To Acc ^t Brought up	28273
To Ann King Widow & Children	300
To Richard Morgan to buy Provision for this time only	500
To John Brownley	300
To John Sampson	300
To Elizabeth Brownley and Children	600
To be paid Sir John Peyton for Doctor Tho ^s Clayton on acc ^t of Elizabeth Parrett	508
To Joanna Barnett Widow & Children	300
To Richard Gregory for a Coffin for Elizabeth Lovet	50
To Mary Chambers for Laying and boarding Mildred Bridges	150
To James Hodges for 2 Levies over paid	42
To James Harris for making a Coffin for Han- nah Fordom	50
To Elizabeth Trekle Widow	400
To 4 p C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756
To Mr. Charles Tompkies for Insolvents	1081
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	33610
To 6 p C ^t for Collecting	2016½
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	35626

Number of Tithables on the List from the from the office
is with the addition of some more found out by the Vestry
1421 Levy p pole 25 lb Remainder 101 lb Toba^s

Ordered That William Armistead Gent^m and Sir John Pey-
ton stand Church Wardens the Enfueing year

Ordered that Mr Langley Billups do receive of each Tithable
Person in this Parish 25 lbs Tobacco to Sattify the several
Parish Creditors and to acc^t for the remainder at Laying the
next Levy for this Parish

Ordered That Mr. John Willis have notice that the vestry
have Chofen him vestryman in the room of Capt. Tho^s Hayes

who this day by note to the vestry resign'd his place of Vestryman.

It is the Opinion of the Vestry that the Church wardens ought to rectify any mistake that may happen in Laying the Levy.

Ordered That Thomas Rice be Levy free

Witnefs

John Davis

(76)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish at the gleab March
6th. 1770

Pref^s. The Rev'd M^r. John Dixon Minister Capt W^m. Hayes, Capt Tho^s Smith Coll. John Peyton M^r George Dudley M^r Edward Hughes M^r Robert Tabb M^r Kemp Whiting

It was agreed to and Signed by the above mentioned Gent^{en} of Vestry, That the Rev'd M^r John Dixon be absent Some Months and to receive the Rever'd M^r Thomas Baker to officiate for him during his Absence and to receive the Said Rev'd M^r John Dixon again if it is his desire to return.

Witnefs

John Davis

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Octob^r 29th 1770

Present The rev'd M^r John Dixon, The rev^d M^r. Thomas Baker, Sir John Peyton, M^r William Armistead Churchw^d, Major Kemp Plummer, Cap^t William Hayes, M^r Kemp Whiting, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Rob^t Tabb, Captⁿ Fran^s Armistead, Captⁿ Thomas Smith, & M^r Geo. Dudley

This day The rev^d M^r John Dixon Refin^d the Parrish

It is Agreed to Allow The rev^d M^r Thomas Baker the Salary or a Proportionable part of it for the time he shall Officiate as Minister of this Parrish and we Agree to Employ him if he Chuses to serve untel a Minister is chosen Allowing him the Use of the Gleab and all Other Emolumants the same as to a Rector

Carried up

(77)

The Gent^m fore mentioned Order that Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz

To The Rev'd M ^r John Dixon 12000	12000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	480
To Ditto for Quitrents and Acc ^t . £6 5	750
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy of the List Tithables	18
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To Ditto Sexton of the Old Church	400
To Ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To D ^o for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To Estate of Tho ^s Dawson Deceas'd and Rich ^d Wiatt Roystone Clerks of the New Church	1200 & cask
To The said Estate for keeping the plate	200
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church	400
To Ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton Widow	600
To Sarah Basset Widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge Widow	600
To Ann Owen Widow for rent	200
To Elizabeth Turner Widow and Children	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Sufannah Sadler for keeping her lame Daugh ^r	500
To Richard Morgan and Wife	300
To be left in the Church Wardens hands for Richard Longest for keeping Dorothy Parrets Child	1000
To Martha Christian Widow & Children	400
To James Hugget	200
To Deborah Edwards Widow	300
To M ^{rs} Mary Blacknal for keeping & Colemans Child	400

To D ^o for ditto omitted Last year	400
To Ann King Widow & Children	300
To John Brownley	300
To John Sampson	300
To Elizabeth Brownley Widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnett Widow	300
To Elizabeth Treacle Widow & Children	400
Carried over	26348
(78) Acc ^t . Bro ^t over	26348
To The Rev'd M ^r . Thomas Baker Minister	4000 & cask
To Ditto for Shrinkage	160
To Thomas Blake for acc ^t . £7 12 6 for work on the Church	915
To Joseph King £4 2 6 for Horse Blocks Racks & Coffin	495
To Capt Shackleford for acc ^t £1 19 0½	234
To M ^r Robert Tabb for Insolvents	512
To Doc ^r Geo. Johnson for acc ^t	500
To M ^r Langley Billups for Insolvents	700
To Peter Bell for Keeping Tho ^s Crawly having fits	300
To Richard Morgan & his wife allow'd more	300
To Richard Parrett for one Levy over paid	25
To Susannah Sadler for her Self	300
To Thomas Newburn for Keeping a Child	100
To 4 p^r C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756
	35645
To 6 p^r C ^t for Collecting	2138
	37783

Ordered That M^r William Smith Sheriff do Receive of Each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty six & ½ lbs Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r John Willis and Capt. Francis Armistead be Church Wardens the Ensuing year

Ordered That the Church wardens do rectify any Mistake if any is

Ordered That W^m Bridge be levy free

Witnefs

John Davis.

(79)

At a Veftry Held for Kingfton Parifh Dec^r 19th 1770

	Sir John Peyton	Mr Robert Tabb
Preſent	Capt. William Hayes	Mr William Armistead
	Mr George Dudley	Capt. Francis Armistead
	Mr Edward Hughes	Mr John Willis
		Gent. ^m of Veftry

The Rev'd Mr Thomas Baker, The Rev'd Mr Thomas Field, The Rev'd Mr Arthur Hamilton, and the Rev'd Mr Archibald Avens offering themſelves as Candidates for this Parifh in the Room of the Rev'd Mr Dixon Reſign'd, and by a Majority of the veftry the above Mr Field was Chofen whoſe time will Commence from the fifth day of January 1771 The Rev'd Mr Tho^s Baker having ſerv'd as Miniſter of this Parifh according to a former Order of Veftry three Months.

Teſt.

John Davis

(80)

At a Veftry Held for Kingfton Parifh Nov^r 25, 1771

Preſent, The Rev'd Mr Tho^s Feilde Miniſter Sir John Peyton, Cap^t Tho^s Smith Mr George Dudley Mr Edward Hughes, Mr William Armistead Cap^t Francis Armistead, Mr John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied as follows Viz.

To The Rev'd Mr Tho ^s Feilde Miniſter	13055¼ & caſk
To Ditto for Shrinkage	0522
To The Rev'd Mr Tho ^s Baker	2944¾ & caſk
To ditto for Shrinkage	0117
To M ^r John Clayton	0018
To John Davis Cl ^r of Church & Veftry	1700 & caſk
To ditto ſexton of the old Church	400

To Richard Wiatt Royston Clerk of the New Ch	1200 & cask
To John Davis for keeping Church Ornam ^{ts} Cushions &c	200
To Ditto for making fires in the Vestry House	100
To Ann King sexton of y ^e New Church	400
To Ditto for making fires in the Vestry House at the New Church	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Bafset widow	400
To Elizabeth Bridge widow	600
To Ann Owen	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Susannah Sadler for her lame Daughter	500
To Richard Morgan & wife	600
To Martha Christian widow	400
To James Hugget	300
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King Widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnet	300

(81)

To acc ^t Bro ^t over	
To Elizabeth Treacle widow & Children	400
To Peter Bell for keeping Thomas Crawley the year past, to be paid to W ^m Smith	500
To Sufannah Sadler for self	300
To Ann Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Lovet	300
To Robert Keys for acc ^t £1 3 6	117½
To Margaret Wiatt widow	500
To Tho ^s Blake for work on the Glebe	8000
To Tho ^s Flippen for removing a woman	0100

To Mr John Willis for acc ^t £5 2 4	512
To Richard Longest for keeping a Child of Dorothy Parret	500
To Robert Green for 7 Levies over paid last year	183¾
To Sarah Sadler & Children	300
To Mildred Burton for keeping Catherine Ellis's Child	500
To 4 £ C ^t on 18900 for Cask	756

(82)

At a Veftry Held for Kingfton Parifh Nov^r 25th 1771

Present, The Rev'd Mr Tho^s Feilde Minister
 Sir John Peyton, Cap^t Tho^s Smith M^r George Dudley M^r
 Edward Hughes, M^r William Armistead Capt. Fran^s Armistead and M^r John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be Levied As follows

To The Rev'd Mr Tho ^s Feilde	13055¼ ca[]
To ditto for shrinkage	522
To The Rev'd Mr Thomas Baker	2944¾
To Ditto for shrinkage	117
To Mr John Clayton for Copy of the Lift	18
To John Davis Clerk of the old Church & Veftry	1700 & ca[]
To Ditto sexton of the old Church	400
To Ditto for keeping Church ornam ^{ts} Cufh-ions &c	200
To Ditto for Making Fires in the veftry House	100
To Rich'd Wiatt Royston Clerk of y ^e New Church	1200 & ca[]
To Ann King sexton	400
To Ditto for making Fires in the veftry House	100
To Catherine Marwood for keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Bafset widow	400

To Elizabeth Bridge widow	600
To Ann Owen widow	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Sufannah Sadler for her Lame Daugh ^r	500
To Richard Morgan and Wife	600
To Martha Chriftian widow	400
To James Hugget	300
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King widow and Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	600
To Joanna Barnet widow	300
To Elizabeth trekle widow	400
To Peter Bell for Keeping Thomas Crauley to be paid to W ^m Smith	500
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To Acc ^t Brought up	27075
To Sufannah Sadler for self	300
To Ann Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Lovet	300
To Rob ^t Keys for Acc ^t 23/6	117½
To Margaret Wiatt	500
To Tho ^s Blake for work on the Glebe	8000
To Tho ^s Flippen for removing a Woman	100
To M ^r John Willis for acc ^t £5 2 4	512
To Rich ^d Longest for keeping Dorothy parrets Child	500
To Rob ^t Green for, 7, Levies overpaid	183½
To Sarah Sadler and Children	300
To Mildred for for keeping a bastard Child of Caty Ellis's	500
To 4 Ⓕ. C ^t 18900 for Cask	756
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To 6 Ⓕ C ^t Collecting	2419
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Ordered That Cap^t Francis Armistead and M^r John Willis
stand Church wardens the Ensueing year

Ordered That M^r W^m Smith receive of each Tithable person in this parish thirty two Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That M^r Humphry Gwyn, M^r Tho^s, Hayes M^r Geo. W^m. Plummer & M^r Gab^l, Hughes Have Notice from the Clerk that they are Chosen Vestrymen, in the room of Cap^t. W^m. Hayes Deceas'd M^r. Kemp Whiting, Maj^r W^m Plummer resign'd & Maj^r Kemp Plummer Deceas'd

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(84)

Ordered That Cap^t Thomas smith, M^r. John Willis, and Sir John Peyton at some at some convenient time meet at the Glebe and view the work done there by Thomas Blake, and order as much of the Tobacco in the Collectors hands to him as they shall think sufficient for the work there done.

Ordered That The Rev'd Mr Feilde have Liberty to dispose or make use of such Timber as may be in the Lands if more than he can make use of on the Glebe and that the Church wardens acting inspect or looke over the same

Ordered That The depofit in the hands of the Collector be disposed of as the Church wardens may Think Convenient

Ordered That the Gent^m. appointed to view the work done at the Glebe take a Bond of Thomas Blake for his Completing the work now unfinish'd in a reasonable time.

Witness

John Davis

(85)

Nov 28th 1772

Gent^l Pref^t Sir John Peyton C Thomas Smith Mr. Edw'd Hughes, Mr George Dudley, Mr William Armistead Cap^t. Francis Armistead, Mr John Willis

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as followeth Viz.

To The Rev ^d M ^r Tho ^s Feilde Minis ^r	16000 & Cask
To ditto for shrinkage	640
To Capt. John Clayton for Copy list	18
To Richard. W. Royfston Cl ^k of the New Church	1200 & Cask
To Ann King sexton of y ^e new Church	400
To John Davis Cl ^k of y ^e Old Church & Vestry	1700 & cask
To ditto for sexton of the old Church	400
To ditto for taking Care of C ^h ornam ^{ts} & Cushions	200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House at old C ^h	100
To Ann King for ditto at the new C ^h	100
To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Ann Owen widow for Rent	200
To Judith Machen widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Sufanna Sadler for her lame Da ^r	500
To Rich ^d Morgan & his wife	600
To Martha Christian widow	400
To Deborah Edwards widow	300
To Ann King Widow and Children	300
To Richard Morgan toward retrieving his lofs	200
To Eliza th Brownley widow and Children	500
To Rob ^t Hudgen for Keeping Tho ^s Crauly	500
To sufannah sadler for her self	300
To Elizabeth Hudgen	300
To Tho ^s Flippen for Clearing the Parish of Nancy Parret a Bastard Child	500
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To Ballance on acc ^t of M ^r John Willis 10/3	68	
To Sarah Sadler Widow & Children	500	
To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of		

Caty Ellis	500
To M ^{rs} . Mary Blacknall for Tho ^s Coleman two years	800
To Eliz. Evans widow	300
To Mary Anderton Widow	600
To Ann Fletcher widow	300
To ditto the above 68 th of M ^r willis	
To Geo. Willis and his wife	400
To Moses Hudgen	200
To Dorothy Mullens for Keeping Elz. Snow Longest	500
To Ann Longest for Keeping W ^m Longest an Orphan Child	500
To Nicholas Wescott for taking Nancy Longest off the Parish	500
To Edmund Owen for taking Care of in sick- ness and Burying John Davis	100
Allow'd to purchase a Law book	250
To be left in the Collectors hands and apply'd as directed hereafter by the Vestry	6000
To Capt Francis Armistead for acc ^t for Wine £6	720
To 4 ₤. Ct. on 18900 for Cask	756
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To 6 ₤ Ct. for Collecting	2433
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old orders of Vestry	

(87)

Remainder of orders at the vestry at the [] Church in
the year of our Lord 1772 Bro []

Ordered, That Cap^t Tho^s Hayes and M^r, Gab[] Hughes,
stand Church Wardens the Ensueing y[]

Ordered That M^r Benjamin Shackelford do Collect of each
Tithable Person in this Parish Thirty fo[] and a Quarter

Pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the severa[] Parish Creditors

By a Majority of the Vestry Present M^r Walter Keeble, Capt. John Billups and M^r Edmund Custis were Chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

This Day it appearing to the Vestry the Undernam[] Persons have not given their List of Tithables for the present year

Ordered That the Church wardens make Information against the s^a persons, and all others that shall appear to them not to have Given in their Lists and that this be a standing Rule for the future

Agreed on that the same three Gent^m of Vestry Sir John Peyton Thomas Smith Esq^r and M^r John Willis with M^r Edward Hughes Capt Thomas Hayes and M^r Gab^l Hughes do meet at the Glebe or any three of them at some Convenient time and value the work done there by Thomas Blake and Examine his Acc^t., Likewise Examine Likewise see what is to do there and have it done

The above Ordres were Signed by the Rev'd M^r Thomas Feilde Minister of the above S^a Parish[] of Kingston

Test

John Davis

(88)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish October 26, 1773

Present The Rev'd M^r Thomas Feilde Minister Capt Thomas Smith, M^r. George Dudley, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r William Armistead, Capt. Francis Armistead Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r Gabriel Hughes & Capt. John Billups

To The Rev'd M ^r Tho ^s Feild Minister	16000
To ditto for Shrinkage 640 To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To Cap ^t John Clayton Cl ^k of y ^e County for Copy list of Tiths	18
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200
To ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King sexton of the new Church	400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry House	100

To Catherine Marwood for Keeping Jane Hunley	400
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To sarah Bafset widow	400
To Ann Owen widow	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves widow	300
To Sufanna Sadler for her Da ^r being lame & havings fits	500
To Richard Morgan & his Wife	600
To Marth Chrifstian widow	400
To Ann King widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	500
To Robert Hudgen for Keeping Tho ^s Crauley	400
To Sufanna Sadler ꝑ self	300
To Elizabeth Hudgen widow	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	500
To Elizabeth Evans widow	300
To Ann Willis Widow	400
To Mofes Hudgen	300
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Veftry	1700
To Ditto for Cask 68. To ditto sexton 400	468
To ditto for taking Care of C ^h Ornam ^{'ts} & Cufhions	200
To ditto for making Fires in the veftry Houfe	100
To Mildred Burton for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	500
To John Anderton for Keeping an orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Ann Sellers for two orphans of ditto	800
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To Dorothy Mullins for keeping an orphan of W ^m Longft	500
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To Acct. Bro ^t over	31[]
To Ann Longeft for an Orphan of W ^m Longeft Deceas'd	4[]
To Peter Renals for Molly Bufh	4[]

To be sold on the Parish acc ^t	501[]
	3713 ¹
To 6 ³ / ₄ C ^t for Collecting	2227
	3935 ⁸

Ordered That Mr Gabriel Hughes & Cap Thomas Hayes Continue Church Wardens for the enjueing year

Ordered That Mr Gabriel Hughes or his Deputy do receive of each Tithable person in this Parish twenty Eight pounds of Tobacco to satisfy the several Parish Creditors there being 1421 Tithables in the List

Ordered That the 5017 lb of Tobacco be Sold by the Collector on July Court day 1774 for this County, in order to Satisfy the Cash acc^{ts} as follows

To The Rev'd Mr Thomas Feild's acc^t for
wine &c £8 || 18 || 8½

To The Church Wardens ditto 3 || 13 || 6

and for the intended repairs to the Churches
and Glebe House

ordered That Mr Benjⁿ Shackelford pay Tho^s Blake the Ballance of his acc^t and what remains in his hands to the Church Wardens to be applied to the Cash acc^{ts}

Ordered That Mr William Smith pay the Tobacco remaining in his Hands to Tho^s Blake

ordered thirty yards of *Crocus for the Parlour at the Glebe
Correct in the above the N^o of Tithables there being only

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Witnefs

John Davis

(90)

[] a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Nov^r 9, 1774

Present The Rev'd Mr Thomas Feilde Minister Sir John Peyton, Maj^r Thomas Smith, Mr Edw'd Hughes Mr George

* This word was difficult to decipher. Possibly it has been read wrong.—C. G. C.

Dudley, Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r John Willis M^r Gabriel Hughes Capt John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev'd Mr Thomas Feilde Minister	16000	
To ditto for Shrinkage 640	To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To the Clerk of the County for Copy List of Tithables	20	
To Thomas Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200	
To Ann King Sexton ditto	400	
To Tho ^s Hall for Cask	48	
To Ann King for Making Fires in the vestry House	100	
To Mary Bolton Widow	800	
To Sarah Bafset widow	400	
To Ann Owen Widow	300	
To Judith Machen widow	300	
To Jane Reaves widow	300	
To Susanna Sadler for her Da ^r being lame & having Fits	500	
To Richard Morgan & Wife	600	
To Martha Christian Widow	400	
To Ann King widow & Child	300	
To Elizabeth Brownley widow & Children	500	
To Sufanna Sadler for self	300	
To Sarah S[]dler Widow & Children	500	
To Elizabeth Evans widow	300	
To Ann Willis widow	400	
To Mofes Hudgen	500	
To Jn ^o Davis Cl ^k of Church & Veftry	1700	
To ditto for Cask 68	To ditto for sexton 400	468
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam ^{'ts} & Cufhions	200	
To ditto for making Fires in the Veftry House	100	
To Ann Sellers for two Orphans of Mark Anderton	800	
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300	
To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longeft	500	
To Ann Longeft for Keeping an Orphan of ditto	400	
To Thomas Longest for keeping Molly Bufh	400	
To Mary Hudgen Midwife for keeping Thomas Crauley	400	
To William Owen	300	

To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	450
To Mildred Burton for keeping a Child of Letty Walfon	400
[] Elizabeth Green widow & 4 Children	600
[] Thomas Willis for a Child of Dorothy Stedar	400
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Brough up	32866
To the Eftate of Maj ^r William Plumer Deceas'd for	
6 levies overpaid in the year 1773 28 lb of Tobacco each	168
To M ^r Ben Shackelford for Isovents this year	620
To Sattisfy the Cash accompts	2000
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	35654
To 6 $\frac{1}{2}$ C ^t . for Collecting	2139
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To Ann Longest widow, to be paid out of the Tobacco arising from the Concealed tithables 300

ordered that Capt. John Billups & Maj^r Tho^s Smith stand Church Wardens the Ensueing year

M^r John Billups Jun^r do receive of each Tithable Person in this Parish Twenty eight Pounds of Tobacco to sattisfy the several Parish Creditors

Ordered That the Churchwardens do make information against all those that have not given in their lists of Tithables, next Court Day

ordered That the 2000 lb of Tobacco levied to pay the Cash acct^s be sold on July Court Day

ordered that M^r Edward Tabb, & M^r John Dixon have Notice That they are this day Chofen Vestrymen

ordered

At a vestry held for Kingfton Parish Aug^t 14, 1775

Present Sir John Peyton, Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Edward

Hughes, M^r William Armistead, M^r Gabriel Hughes, Capt Thomas Hayes, Capt, John Billups Capt. John Dixon

Agreed that the Church wardens desire M^r Edward Tabb, M^r Ben. Shackelford, M^r Ifaac Smith M^r W^m Smith M^r Matthias James, & M^r John Hunley, Or any three of them to Meet at the Glebe at some Convenient time to view what proportion of Land there appears to have Timbertrees Cut off

(92)

At a Veftry Held for Kingfton Parish the 11th day of March 1776

Present The Rev^a M^r Thomas Feilde Minis^r Sir John Peyton Maj^r Tho^s. Smith M^r Edward Hughes Tho^s Hayes Gab^l Hughes M^r W^m Armistead, & Capt. John Billups

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev ^a M ^r . Tho ^s . Feilde Minister	16000
To ditto for shrinkage 640. To ditto for Cask 640	1280
To the County Clerk for the list	20
To Tho ^s Hall Clerk of the New Church	1200
To ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King sexton	400
To ditto for making Fires in the Veftry Houfe	100
To Mary Bolton Widow	800
To Sarah Bafset Widow	400
To Ann Owen Widow	300
To Judith Machen Widow	300
To Jane Reaves Widow	300
To Sufanna Sadler for her Daugh ^r being lame & having fits	500
To Richard Morgan & Wife	600
To Martha Chriftian Widow	400
To Ann King Widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her self	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Evans widow	200
To Ann Willis widow	400
To Mofes Hudgin	500

To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700
To ditto for Cask	68
To ditto for for taking Care of Church ornam ^{ts} & Cufhi	200
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry House	100
To	
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To Dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longest	500
To Mary Hudgen Midwife for Keeping Tho ^s Crawley	400
To W ^m Owen	300
To Jn ^s Purnall for Keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	450
To Elizabeth Green Widow & 4 Children	600
To Abra ^m Glascock for Keeping Molly Bu ^h this year	400
To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Rich ^d Rifpafs for 1 of ditto	400
To sarah Weston Widow	300
To John Elliott for Keeping a bastard Child of Ufley Davis	150
To Ann Longest widow to pay her Rent	300
To Jn ^s Billups Jun ^r Wine & expence at Williamsburg &c £3 2 6	
(93)	
1776 Acc ^t bro ^t up	
To Ann Longest for Keeping Mary Longest @ y ^e rate of 500 ^{lb} of Tob ^o a year	500
To The Rev ^d M ^r . Tho ^s Feilde for 1 years sacram Wine & 2 Locks £2 13 6	
To Ann Ruff Widow to Pay her Rent	200
To Ann Longest for Keeping Mary Longest some time past	300
To Ann Peed for keeping an orphan of Geo. Peed	300
To Sarah Weston Widow	300
To W ^m Foster for repairs to the old Church £11	
To Doc ^r Edw ^d Jones for visit & Medicine for Ann Parrott 19/9	

To The Rev^d Mr Tho^s Feilde for prising 17280 lb
of Toba^s at 2/6 $\text{£}9$ Thousand $\text{£}2||3||2$

Ordered That the Church Wardens receive of the late
Collec^r 929 lb^s of Tobacco & the sum of four Pounds &
four Pence to be applied to the Cred^t. of the Parish
To be sold by the Church Wardens at July Gloucef^r

Court day to satisfy the several Cash acc ^{ts}	2000
To 4850 for Collecting @ 14 $\text{£}9$ C ^t .	4850

Ordered That Maj^r Tho^s Smith Collect of each Tithable
Perfon in this Parish 28 lbs of Tobacco to satisfy the several
Parish Creditors

Ordered That Mr Ben. Shackelford, Mr George Armistead,
Mr John Hayes & Mr Rob^t Matthews Have notice that they
are this day Chosen Vestrymen for this Parish

The above Orders of Vestry were sign'd by the Rev'd Mr
Tho^s Feilde Minister

Witnefs

John Davis

(94)

At Vestry held for Kingston Parish April 28th 1777.

Present Sir John Peyton Maj^r Tho^s Smith, Mr Edwar
Hughes Mr Gabriel Hughes, Mr William Armistead, Capt
John Billups Cap^t. John Dixon

Ordered That Tobacco be levied as follows

To The Rev ^d Mr Tho ^s Feilde Minis ^r	18944
To Ditto for cask 640 To ditto for shrinkage 640	
To which is added for 274 for service till Jan. 1.	1514
for the Lift of Tithables 2/6 to be p ^d to J. Davis C ^k	
To Tho ^s Hall Clk of y ^e New Church	1200
To Ditto for Cask	48
To Ann King Sexton of the New Church	400
To ditto for making Fires in the Vestry house	100
To Mary Bolton widow	800
To Sarah Basset widow	400
To Ann owen widow	300
To Judith Machen widow	300

To Jan Reaves widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her daugh ^r being lame	500
To Rich ^d Morgan & wife	800
To Martha Christian widow	400
To Ann King widow	300
To Susanna Sadler for her self	300
To Sarah Sadler widow & Children	300
To Elizabeth Evans widow	200
To Ann Willis Widow	400
To John Davis Clerk of Church & Vestry	1700
To ditto for Cask	68
To ditto for taking Care of Church Ornam ^{ts} , & Cufhi ^s	200
To ditto for sexton	400
To ditto for making Fires in the vestry house	100
To Ann Flecher widow & Children	300
To dorothy Mullins for Keeping an Orphan of W ^m Longest	500
To John Purnall for keeping a Child of Caty Ellis	400
To Elizabeth Green widow & Children	600
To Elizabeth Hudgen for Keeping an Orphan of Mark Anderton	400
To Ann Longest to pay her Rent	300
To Ann Ruff widow for ditto	200
To Sarah weston widow	400
To John Elliott for Keeping a Child of Urfly Davis	150
To Dorothy Mullins widow toward paying her rent	200
To Elizabeth Baley	400
To Ann Sellers widow	400
To George Woodin for expence & trouble for Ann Sellers	200
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(95)	
Acc ^t Brought up	34424
To James Peed for burying Deborah Edwards & expence	250
To Joseph King for repairing Windows in the New	

Church 8/6	
To John Davis serving as Clerk from Octob ^r to Jan.	617
To Tho ^s Hall Ditto for Two Months	208
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Ordered That Cap^t Edward Hughes & M^r John Dixon be Church Wardens this year.

Ordered That M^r John Dixon do receive of each Tithable Person 26½ lbs of Tobacco To Satisfy the several Parish Creditors and acc^t for the Remainder at the next vestry

ordered That M^r Dudley Cary have notice that he is Chosen Vestryman for this Parish

The afore said orders were sig'd by Sir John Peyton
T^est John Davis

(96)

At a vestry Held for Kingston Parish Feb. 6, 1778

Present Sir John Peyton M^r Edward Hughes M^r Gab^l Hughes M^r William Armistead Capt. John Billups Capt. Thomas Hayes M^r Robert Matthew M^r Dudley Cary

The Rev'd M^r Robert Read & The Rev'd M^r William Dunlop offering Themselves as Candidates for this Parish in the room of the Rev'd M^r Feilde *

and by a Majority of the Vestry the Rev'd M^r R. Read was Chofen

Ordered That The Collec^r pay to each Person the Several sums as follows

To John Davis for being Clerk, Sexton, Making

Fires & Keeping Church Ornaments 30 || 17 || 0

To Tho^s Hall Clerk of the New Church 6 Months 7 || 16 || 0

* In this space in the MS. there is an asterisk in pencil. At the bottom of page 97 of the MS. a pencilled asterisk occurs again and the words (also in pencil) "who resigned".—C. G. C.

To Ann King Sexton & Making Fires	6		5		0
To Mary Bolton	10		0		0
To Ann Owen	3		15		0
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Daugh ^r	6		5		0
To Richard Morgan & wife	10		0		0
To Ann King	3		15		0
To Susanna Sadler for her self	3		15		0
To Ann Willis	5		0		0
To Elizabeth Green Widow & Children	7		10		0
To Ann Longest for Keeping an orphan Child of Mark Anderton Dec ^a	5		0		0
To Ann Flecher & Children	3		15		0
To Dorothy Mullins for W ^m Longest's orphan	6		5		0
To John Purnal for Caty Ellis's Child	5		0		0
Ann Longest to pay her Rent	3		0		0
To Ann Ruff for Ditto	3		0		0
To John Elliott for John Davis's orphan	3		5		0
To Doroth Mullins to pay her rent	2		10		0
To Elizabeth Baley	5		0		0
To Ann sellers	5		0		0
To M ^r Edw ^a Hughes	1		2		6
To Philip Terrier for Board & Curing Fran ^a Davis. Hand	6		0		0
To Ann Longest for Tho ^a Hilling	3		0		0
To John Brownley	5		0		0
	151		15		6
To 6 P C ^r for Collecting	9		4		0
Carried up to the other Leaf	£160		19		6

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1778 The remainder of the order of Vestry for Feb 6th 1778
Brought up

Ordered That Capt Edward Hughes & M^r Robert Matthews
be Church Wardens the Present year and that Capt. Edward

Hughes Collect from Each Tithable person in The sum of Two Shillings & three pence to satisfy the several Creditors

Ordered That M^r Thomas Peyton have notice from the Clerk of the Vestry that he is this Day Chosen Vestryman for this Parish

The above orders were Signed by Sir John Peyton
T^est John Davis

(98)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish Novem^r 23. 1778

Present The Rev.^d M^r Tho^s Reade

Sir John Peyton M^r Edward Hughes M^r Gab^l Hughes M^r
William Armistead M^r John Billups M^r Thomas Hayes M^r
George Armistead M^r Dudley Cary

ordered That the Collector pay to each person the several Sums as follows.

	£	s	d
To John Davis Clerk, sexton making fires and Keeping Church ornaments	30	17	0
To John Palister for keeping Geo. Anderton	4		
To Ann Owen widow	5		
To Edw ^a Hughes	31	15	
To John Peyton	2	8	

Ordered To be entered That The Rev^d M^r Tho^s. Reade is chosen & received Minister of this Parish, & that his time began the 14 Day of Aug^t 1778.

Ordered That M^r Mordicai Throcmortain have notice that he is chosen Vestryman for this Parish

Ordered, That M^r Rob^t. Matthews & M^r Edw^a Hughes be Church Wardens the ensuing year.

Ordered, That M^r Rob^t Matthews collect from each Tithable Person the sum of twelve shillings

Thomas Reade

[The following four-line entry appears on a slip of paper pasted on, and near the bottom of, page 98 of the MS.—
C. G. C.]

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish April 10th 1779

Present. Sir John Peyton Maj^r Tho^s Smith M^r Edw^d Hughes, M^r Gab^l Hughes Capt. John Billups M^r Geo. Armistead Capt Rob^t Matthews

(99)

At a Vestry Held for Kingston Parish January 31 1780

Present the Rev^d M^r Thomas Read Minister Sir John Peyton, Cap^t. Edw^d Hughes M^r Robert Matthews M^r Gab^l Hughes Capt Tho^s Hayes Cap^t. John Billups M^r Dudley Cary Capt. Mordecai Throckmorton

Ordered That the Collect^r pay to each Per^{son} the several Sums following viz.

	£			
To John Davis Clerk of Church Vestry &c	112		10	
To Ann King sexton making Fires &c	23		8	9
To Susanna Sadler for her lame Da ^r	33		15	3
To Richard Morgan & Wife	37		10	0
To Sufanna Sadler for her self	14		1	3
To Ann Willis	18		15	[]
To Dorothy Mullins for William Longests Child	23		8	[]
To John Purnal for Caty Ellis's Child	18		15	[]
To John Palister for Mark Andertons Child				
& to take it off of the Parifh	18		15	[]
To Ann Longest for Rent	12		4	[]
To Ann for Ditto	11		5	[]
To John Elliott for Davis's orphan	12		4	[]
To Dorothy Mullins to pay her Rent	9		7	6
To Elizabeth Baley	18		15	0
To Ann Sellers	18		15	0
To Ann Longest for Tho ^s Hillens Child	22		10	0
To John Brownley	18		15	0
To Grace Hudgen for Thomas Newburns son	11		5	0
To Mildred Burton	22		10	0
To Molly Lovet	18		15	0
To James Green to take a Child off the parifh	22		10	0

To Sufanna Bridges	37		10		0
To Agathy Powers	37		10		0
To Ann Willis	18		15		0
To Ann Atherton	45		0		0
To Elizabeth Brummil for services Done to Tho ^s Newburn & son & Dorothy Bernard	145		10		0
To Capt. Matthews for Wine for Repairs to the Glebe £500.	78		0		0

Ordered That George Armistead & Mordicai Throckmorton be appointed Church Wardens

Ordered That James Jones collect from each tithable person the sum of twenty shillings to satisfy the several Creditors as above

Ordered That Philip Tabb be chosen Vestry-Man in the room of Cap^t Tho^s Hayes []ho resigns, & Sam^l. Williams in the room of Dudley Cary who resigns & that [] notice thereof

Tho^s Reade

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Note: This page is blank in the MS.—C. G. C.

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the old Church the 26th Day of November 1783 Members present, Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Gabriel Hughes, Cap^{tn} John Billups, M^r George Armistead, M^r Samuel Williams, M^r Armistead Smith, & M^r Rob^t Matthews

[]der'd Cash to be levi'd as follow's Viz^t.

To Thomas James for Clerk of old Church & Vestry

	£	15		0		0
To	for Clerk of New Church	10		0		0
To	for Sexton of old Church	2		0		0
To	for Sexton of New Church	2		0		0
To Susanna Sadler for self & Daughter	5		0		0	0
To Richard Morgan	4		0		0	0
To Dorothy Mullins	1		10		0	0

To Elizabeth Bailey	1		10		0
To John Brownley	4		0		0
To Ann Owen	1		10		0
To Susanna Terriel	8		0		0
To Judith Mechan	3		0		0
To W ^m Bafset Sen ^r for keeping his Sifter Sarah	1		0		0
To Dawson Iddens for keeping Humphry Flip- pins Child	1		10		0
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	60		0		0

[]der'd that 5 ⁹/₁₀ Cent be allow'd for Collecting the above,
& that M^r Armistead Smith Collect from Each Tithable Per-
son one Shilling to Satisfy the Several Creditors as above

[]der'd that the Church Wardens give an Order to the
Rev^d James M. Bride for ten Pounds of the Money they have
now to Collect for Rents of The Glebe & hire of the Negroes
belonging thereto

[]der'd that the Church Wardens Rent out the Glebe &
hire out the Negroes belonging thereto for the ensuing Year
to the highest Bidder

These above Orders were sign'd by Maj^r Tho^s. Smith
Tef^t Thomas James

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At a Vestry held for Kingston Parish at the New Church
the 28th day 1783, Members present, S^r John Peyton M^r
William Armistead, M^r Edward Hughes, M^r Gabriel Hughes,
Cap^{tn} John Billups, M^r George Armistead, Maj^r Mordecai
Throckmorton M^r Samuel Williams & M^r Armistead Smith,
Gent.

Order'd that M^r Francis Hughes Collect from Each Tith-
able person 16¹/₂^d to Satisfy the Several Creditors, directed by
Veftry held the 27th of January last

Order'd that he Collect from M^r Hugh Hayse, M^r. Edward
Jones, M^r Thomas Gayle, & Maj^r Mordecai Throckmorton

The Tob^e due & their Bonds, in the hands of Church Wa[]
or the value thereof in Cash

The above Orders were Sign'd by Sr Jn^e Peyton

Teft Tho^s James

Mr Francis Hughes's & his. Father Gabriel Hughes's Bond
to the Vestry

Know all men by these presents that we Francis Hughes
& Gabriel Hughes of Kingston Parish in Gloucester County,
are held & firmly bound unto the Vestrymen of S^a Parish in
the just Sum of one Hundred & Eight Pounds Current money
of Virginia, which money to be paid to s^a Vestry or their
Successors, to the which payment well & truly to be made,
we bind ourselves our Heirs & assigns, jointly & Severally
firmly by these presents, Seal^d with our Seals & dated this
28th day of May one thousan[] seven Hundred & Eighty
three

The Condition of the above obligation is such that if the
above bound Francis & Gabriel Hughes or either of them do
well & truly Collect from each Tyth[] Person within this
parish the Several Sums as order'd by Vestry, and pay the
same into the hands of the Church Wardens according to
Law, then this Obligation to be void Else remain in full force
& Virtue

Francis Hughes (Seal)

Teft

Thomas James

Gabriel Hughes (Seal)

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At a meeting of []
Church on monday the 27th January 1783 present, Tho^s Smith
Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, John Billups, Geo. Armis-
tead Samuel Williams, Armistead Smith, & Mordecai Throck-
Morton Gentlemen Vestrymen Order^d that the Several Sums
be paid to the following Persons

To Thomas James Clark of the Old Church & Veſtry	14	3	4
To Rich ^d Bajwet Clark of New Church	10	0	0
To George Wizzlin Lexton of the Old Church	2	10	0
To William Bajwet Lexton of New Church	1	13	0
To Susanna Sadler for ſeld & lane Daughaer	5	0	0
To Rich ^d Morgan	5	0	0
To Dorothy Mullins	1	10	0
To Elizabeth Bailey	1	10	0
To John Brownley	4	0	0
To Ann Owen	2	10	0
To Susanna Terriel	8	0	0
To Judith Machen	3	0	0
To W ^m Bajwet Sen ^r for keeping his Siſter Sarah	1	0	0

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Order^s that Edw^d Hurst be exempt from pay-
ing Parish levy

To Dawson Idens for keeping Humphrey Flip- pens Child	1		10		0
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To George Armistead for finding neceſſaries for Tho ^s Newbourn & Child	1		15		0
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Order^s that Samuel Williams & Armistead
Smith, Gentlemen be appointed Church
Wardens

To be Deposited in Church Wardens hands	10		0		0
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Order ^s that 5 ³ / ₄ Cent be allow ^d the Church Wardens for Collecting the above	3		13		0
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Order^s that Mr Samuel Williams Collect from Each Tith-
able person the Sum of Sixteen pence farthing to Satisfy the
Several Creditors above

To Chr. Pryor for two Copies of Liſts of Tithes 5/

Order^s that the Church Wardens Collect the Money due
for the Rent of the Glebe & Hire of the Negroes

That Tho^s Hayes Jun^r & Josiah Dean procefsion the 4th precinct
 —That Holder Hudgin & Ezekiel Lane procefsion the 5th precinct—That Geo. Gayle, & Tho^s Tabb procefsion the 6th precinct
 That Rob^t, Billups & Henry Knight procefsion the 7th precinct
 That Tho^s Billups & Joseph Degge Sen^r procefsion the 8th precinct.— That James Hunley & Joseph Degge Jn^r procefsion the 9th precinct, That James Thomas & John Armistead procefsion the 10th precinct, — That James Harper, & Joseph Miller, procefsion the 11th precinct

Order^d that the Different procefsioners make a return of their performance according to Law

Order^d, that the Church Wardens make application to the different Debtors for Rents of the Glebe & hire of the Negroes for a final Settlement, & that they make return thereof to the next Veftry

Ordered that M^r Thomas Tabb be appointed a Veftry Man & that the Church Wardens acquaint him thereof

Order^d that the Rev^d, Thomas Hopkinson be receiv^d as Minister of this Parish, who is hereby authoriz^d to make use of the Gleb[] & other properties belonging to the Church upon Condition that h[] faithfully & punctually discharge the Sacred duties & Functions thereof, and abide by any future Determination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Veftry shall enter into

Tho^s: Smith

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(107)

At a meeting of the members of the protestant episcopal Church held on the 28th day of March 1785, it being Monday in Easter Week, I caused to be fairly & duely elected the twelve following Gentlemen, Viz John Peyton, Thomas Smith Sen^r Edward Hughes, Gabriel Hughes, Robert Matthews, Thomas Smith Jun^r, Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, who are to act as vestrymen for the Parish of Kingston, agreeable to

an Act entitled an "Act for incorporating the protestant episcopal Church. Given under my hand the Day & date above-mentioned.

Armistead: Smith

We the Subscribers, whose names are hereunto annexed, after havi[] had it announced to us by the Churchwarden for the Time being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the abovementioned Act, that we were fairly & legally chosen Vestrymen under the same, do hereby solemnly declare that we will be conformable to the Doctrine, discipline & Worship of the protestant episcopal Church, as now incorporated by Law.

April 16th 1785

Thos: Smith

Edw^d: Hughes

Thomas Smith Jun^r

Armistead: Smith

James Jones

James Booker

Richard Billups

Josiah Deans

Joel Foster

Gabriel Hughes

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At a meeting of the Vestry for this Parrish on the 16th day of April 1785 were present Thos. Smith, Edw^d Hughe[] Thos Smith Jun^r Armistead Smith, James Jones, James Booker, Richard Billups, Josiah Deans, & Joel Foster, when the following Proceedings were had

Order'd that Thos James be appointed as clerk for the upper & lower Churches & Vestry whose duty it shall be to attend as clerk, the Minister in the discharge of his duty such as reading Psalmody & Burials & also to keep the Vestry Books, & a fair Transcript of their proceedings

Orderd that

Susannah Sadler & Daughter be allowed	£	9		0		0
Richard Morgan ditto		5		0		0
John Brownley ditto		5		0		0
Ann Owen ditto		1		10		0
Sufannah Terrel ditto		10		0		0
Dawson Eddins for keeping Hump Flipping						
Child		1		10		0
Richard Summons & Wife		5		0		0
Elizabeth Jarrot		4		0		0
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Order'd that 5 p C ^t be allowed	£	41		0		0
the Collector for Collecting the above		2		1		0
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	£	43		1		0

Order'd that Sir John Peyton & Tho^s Smith J^r Gen. be appointed Deputes to meet the episcopal Clergy & Vestry in convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant episcopal Church its doctirns deciplin & Worship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necefsary for the Prosperity & good Government therof

(109)

Order'd that Richard Billups & James Booker be app[]ted Church wardens for this Parrish

& that Richard Billups collect Eight pence from each Tithable Person within the s^a Parrish & pay the severil [] Parrish Poor the fums levied for there Support respective[] Tho^s: Smith

Note: The rest of this sheet (about four-fifths) has been cut out and removed from the book.—C. G. C.

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(III)

At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish the 14th of November 1786. Present Maj^r Thomas Smith, M^r Gabriel Hughes, M^r Edw^d Hughes, M^r Armis. Smith, M^r. James Booker, M^r Joel Foster, & Cap^t. Rich^d Billups

[]dered that Cap^t Richard Billups apply the Money arising for the rent []he Glebe the year 1785 towards furnishing Glafs for repairing the Church []indowes

Orderd that the rev^d James M^cBride be received as Minister of this Parrish, who is hereby authoriz^d to make use of the Glebe & other properties belonging to the Church upon conditio[] that he faithfully & punctually discharge the sacred duties & function thereof and abide by any futer detirmination respecting his *appointment Conduct as the Vestry shall enter into

Order^d posfession of the Glebe be given the Rev^d James M^cBride on January the 1st. 1787

Order^d that †Sir John Peyton the Rev^d James M^cBride & Tho^s Smith Jun^r Gent^s be appointed deputies to meet the episcopal ‡Church Clergy & Vestry in the next convention to regulate all religious Concerns of the Protestant episcopal Church, its doctrine deciplin and Worship and to institute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged necefsary for the Prosperity & good Government thereof

Tho^s Smith

(II2)

At a meeting of the Vestry held for Kingston Parish June 6 178[]

Present, Maj^r Tho^s Smith, M^r Edw^d Hughes, M^r Tho^s Smith jun M^r James Booker, M^r James Jones, Cap^t. Rich^d. Billups & M[] Josiah Dean Gent^s. Vestrymen, The following proceeding[] were had. This Day the Rev^d M^r Thomas

* The word "appointment" is scratched through in the MS. and the word "Conduct" written above it.—C. G. C.

† The words "Sir John Peyton" are scratched through in the MS. and the words "the Rev^d James McBride" written above them.—C. G. C.

‡ This word is scratched through in the MS.—C. G. C.

Hopkinson person[] came before the Vestry and made a formal Relinquishment & R[]tion of Kingston Parish. —

Order^d that the Church Wardens [] out the Negro Woman Judah. & Rent the Glebe & Glebe Houses untill the first day of January next at publick Auction

Ordered That M^r Samuel Williams & M^r Armis^d Smith former Church Wardens be Summoned to make return to the next Vestry of the Debts due the Parish for Rents & Negro hires according to a former order dated August 19th 1784

Tho^s: Smith

(113)

At a meeting of the members of the Protestant Episcopal Church held on the 17th. of July 1787. I caused to be fairly and duly elected the twelve following Gent., Viz, Sir John Peyton, Thomas Smith Armistead Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r. James Booker, Dudley Cary, James Jones, Edward Hughes, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, and Robert Cary, to be Vestry and Trustees of their property, agreeable to an Ordinance of Convention held in the city of Richmond on the 16th of may 1787

James Booker, C. W.

We the subscribers whose names are hereunto annexed, after having it announced to us by the Church Warden for the tim[] being, who conducted the Election agreeable to the above []-tioned Ordinance, that we were fairly and legally cho[] Vestrymen, and Trustees under the same do hereby solemnly declare that we will be conformable to the do[]trine discipline and worship of the Protestant Episcopal Church

July 24th 1787

Tho^s. Smith

Armis^d: Smith

Geo Armistead

Thomas Smith Jun^r

James Booker

Ja^s Jones

Edw^d: Hughes

Joel Foster
 Rob^t Cary
 Thomas Tabb

(114)

At a meeting of the Vestry, and Trustees, for Kingston Parish had at the Glebe on the 24th of July 1787, were present

Thomas Smith, Arm^d Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r, James Booker, James Jones, Edw^d Hughes, [] Joel Foster, and Robert Cary. the following proceedings [] ere unanimously agreed to

Ordered — That Thomas Smith and Edward Hughes be appointed Church. Wardens

Order'd, that the Church Wardens forthwith make application to M^r Sam^l Williams, M^r Arm^d Smith, M^r Rich^d Billups former Church . Wardens, and M^r Francis Hughes Collector of this parish to account for the several Bonds taken and deposited in their hands for the rents of the Glebe or hire of Negro's

Ord^d That the Church. Wardens contract with any person or persons for the necessary repairs of the Churches and Glebe

Ord^d That the said Church . Wardens, apply such Bonds as they may receive, or the money arising there-from or any part thereof towards making such repairs, and make return of their proceedings to the next Vestry

It being suggested and represented that trespasses have bin made upon the Lands belonging to the Glebe and Churches, Ord^d that the Church . Wardens do take such steps as they may deem most proper to prevent the said practice, by ascertaining the boundaries and quantity of said Glebe Lands; as well as [] ose heretofore appropriated for the Churchyards & [] ing Grounds

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Ord^d That Thomas Smith Jun^r Gen^l. be appoint[] a Deputy to meet the Episcopal Clergy and Laity in Convention

to regulate all religious conc[] of the Protestant Episcopal Church, its doctrin[] discipline and Worship, and to institute suc[] rules and regulations as shall be judged nece[]ry for the prosperity and good government thereof

Tho^s: Smith

At a meeting of the Vestry & Trustees for Kingston Parish, held at old Church June 19th 1788. Present Rev^a James M^cBride, Thomas Sm[] Arm^a Smith, George Armistead, James Booker, Edw^a Hughes, Joel Fo[] Thomas Tabb & Rob^t Cary, the following proceedings were agreed to

Ordered on report of the Church Wardens, that they have made application to the diff^t Debtors for the sev^l sums due for Rents of Glebe & Hire of [] & that their Application proving unsuccesfull, the repairs of Churches & Glebe hath not bin complied with

Ord^a That the sev^l Bonds due the Church be entered on the Book; [] are as follows

Doct^r Edw^d S Jones Dr. a Bond given the 1st day of Jan^y 1783 for 3500 T[] pay^{ble} on Dem^a wth Int^t from the date for Rent of Glebe 1782

To 1 years Rent for 1783 M^r Sam^l Williams C. W. £18.0.0 no Bond taken

To a Bond given for Rent of y^r 1784—dated Dec^r. 16th 1783 pay^{ble} y^e Ensuing []

Dr Maj^r Mord. Throckmorton. To a Bond given for 1400 w^t of Tob^o date [] the 21st day of August 1784 pay^{ble} 20th Nov^r follow^s

Dr Thomas Gayle To 2 Bonds given Jan^y 1st. 1783 one for £6||10||0 the other for 750 w^t Tob^o = To a Bond given Dec^r 16th 1783 for 30 / pay^{ble} the ensuing year

Ant^r. Gautier Dr To a Bond given June 20th. 1785 for £6||10||0 pay[] Jan^y 1st 1786

To a Bond given Dec^r 1st 1785 for £36||12||0 pay^{ble} Jan^y 1st 1787 R[] Matthews & James Hunley Securities

Ord^a that the Church Wardens make application for pay-

ment [] the above Bonds, & if not immediately discharg'd,
to Commence Suit

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that [] his Acc. for Repairs []
[] the Glebe amounting to £3||2||9 wth Int^r from the 26th
day of March 1787

[]rd that James Booker be appointed Treasurer.

[]d^a That Thomas Smith Jun^r Esq^r be appointed a Deputy
to meet the Episcopal Clergy & Laity in Convention to reg-
ulate all religious concerns of the Protestant Episcopal Church,
its doctrine discipline & worship [] to institute such rules
& regulations as shall be judged necessary for the prosperity
& good Government thereof

Ja^s M^rBride

At a Meeting of the Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at
the Crofs Roads on the 19th Day of August 1792. When were
Present Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith
Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary,
which appearing to be a Majority, the Vestry proceeded to
adopt the following Orders.

Ordered that M^r Thomas Smith be authorized to act as
Clerk of the Vestry for the Day

This Day the Rev^a Armistead Smith produced to the Vestry
Testimonials of his []piscopal Ordination, which being deemed
proper & satisfactory; Ordered, that the s^a Rev^a Armistead
Smith be received into the Parish of Kingston, as their Pastor
[] Minister, that he be permitted to officiate therein as such,
& authorized to enjoy all []he Rights, privileges & advantages,
which a Pastor can enjoy or exercise, under the Rules, &
Canons of the Protestant episcopal Church.

Ordered that the Rev^a Armistead Smith be served with the
Order afores^d & that he be requested to give his attendance
on the Vestry

Present the Rev^a Armistead Smith

Ordered that M^r Dudley Cary, M^r Richard Gregory, M^r

John Cary, M^r Josiah Foster, & M^r Milton L. Glassock, be appointed Members of this Vestry, to act as such, untill the next triennial Election, & that it be accord[]gly announced to the Gentlemen afores^d by the Clerk

Ordered, that M^r Richard Gregory be appointed a Church Warden in the Room of M^r Edward Hughes dec^d & that it be announced to [].

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That they have a high Sence of his steady attachment to the true Interest of the protestant Episcopal Chur[] of his Fitnefs & Abilities to take upon himself the impor[] Duties of his office; of the Integrity, the Industry, orderly & exemplary Conduct, with which he has discharged th[] & when the Orders of a Priest shall be confirred [] him, they hereby exprefs their Willingnefs to receive, [] & encourage him as their Pastor & Minister

Ordered that the said Rev^a Armis[] Smith be & he is hereby warmly recommended to [] Right Rev^a James Madison Bishop of the Protesta[] Episcopal Church of Virginia, as a Person in their []inion capable in all Respects of his-charging the im[]tant & Sacred Duties of a Minister; that as such [] acquitted himself with Fidelity, Circum-spection, and []nce; with undoubted Attachment to the Prosperity of the Church, of which he is Minister; & merits in the Opinion of the Vestry the Approbation & highest Reward of a grateful People in the Discharge of the many laborious, interesting, & sacred Duties which are instan[] to his office

John Cary Clk Ves[]

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* By mistake the leaf containing the pages of the MS. at present numbered 117 and 118 was, at some time when the MS. was rebound, inserted here. Obviously it should have been inserted after the leaf containing the pages now numbered 119 and 120.—C. G. C.

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Ordered that the Rev^d Armistead Smith be requested to in[] M^r Thomas James to return to our Parish, & act as Clerk to [] Churches; & that he assure him that the Vestry will exert the [] to promote his Interest as such, as well as in teaching Psal[] adjourned

Armis^d Smith

Test

Thomas Smith C. V.

* At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish held at the New Church on t[] Day of Septem^r 1792, when were present the Rev^d Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thom[] Smith Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, Rob^t Cary, Rich^d Gregory

At a Meeting of a Vestry for Kingston Parish, held at the New Church on the 21st Day of Septem^r 1792. when were Present the Rev^d Armistead Smith, Thomas Smith, George Armistead, Thomas Smith Jun^r James Jones, Joel Foster, Thomas Tabb, & Robert Cary which appearing to be a Majority, the following Proceedings were entered into.

This day M^r Richard Gregory, M^r John Cary, & M^r Milton L. Glassock gave the [] attendance, & were duly qualified to act as Vestrymen untill the next triennial Electi[]

Ordered That the Rev^d Armistead Smith be Put in Possession of the Glebe house & Lands on the 1st Day of Jan^r 1793 to be made use of & enjoyed by him as the Minister of this Parish.

Ordered, that the Churchwardens do furnish out of the Means now in their Hands, five Hollan[] for two Surprices for the use of their Minister.

The Vestry having nothing farther to delivered on, Ordered that it be now adjourned

Armis. Smith

* This entry is half erased in the MS., but is still legible.—C. G. C.

(120)

[] Meeting of the Vestry for Kingstone Parish held at
[] of Roads on the 27th day of March 1793

When were Present Thomas Smith Sen^r Thomas Smith Jun^r
George Armistead Robert Cary Richard Gregory Dudley Cary
and John Cary which Appearing to be a Majority the Vestry
Proceeded to Adopt the following Orders

Ordered That The Rev^d Armistead Smith and Dudley Cary
Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Clergy
& Laity in Convention to regulate all Religious concern of the
Protestant Episcopal Church its doctrine discipline & Wor-
ship & to institute such rules & regulations as shall be judged
nece[]ary for the Prosperity & Good Government thereof

Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk of the
upper and Lower Church and that he have notice thereof as
this day Elected by the Vestry and that it be recommended to
him to send forward Subscriptions to enable him to do the
duties thereof

Armist^d Smith

At a Vestry held in Kingstone Parish in the County of
Mathews on the 27th day of July 1793 When were present
the following Members Viz The Rev^d Armistead Smith Thomas
Smith Jun^r Robert Cary George Armistead Richard Gregory
and John Cary

Ordered that it be announced to the Rev^d Armistead Smith
by the Churchwardens of this Parish that the Vestry are
duly impresed with a Recollection of the Singular Services,
which he has Rendered both to the Church in its collective
Capacity, as well as the Individuals of our Parish in the faith-
ful Discharge of the sacred Functions of a probationary Min-
ister in Deacons Orders;

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At a Meeting of the Vestry for the Parish of Kingst[]
in the County of Mathews the 13th day of May 1796

When were present the following Members Viz The Rev[]

Armistead Smith Thomas Smith Sen^r Thomas Smith []
 Richard Gregory Francis Armistead John Patterson Ja[]
 Van Bibber John Cary & Sands Smith We the under W[]
 Vestrymen & Trustees do oblige ourselves to be conforma[]
 to the doctrin disciplin and Worship of the Protest[]
 Episcopal Church in the United States of America and to the
 Orders & Cannons of the said Church in this []

Armistead Smith Min.
 Thomas Smith Sen[]
 Thomas Smith Ju[]
 R. Gregory
 James V. Bibber
 Francis Armistea[]
 Sands Smith
 John Cary

Ordered That Thomas James be appointed Clerk []
 Lower Church as also Clerk of the Vestry for this []

Ordered that Thomas Smith Jun^r & John [] be Ap-
 pointed Church Wardens for this Parish [] as such
 till the next Triannual Election

Ordered that the Rev^d Armisted Smith & James V. []
 Esquire be Appointed Deputys to meet the Episcopal Cle[]
 & laity in Convention to be holden at Richmond in []
 next to regulate all Religious concerns of the Protesta[]
 Episcopal Church its Doctrin disciplin & Worship & to []-

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 stitute such rules & regulations as shall be Judged nece[]
 for the Prosperity & good Government thereof

Ordered that Thomas Smith Sen^r & Rich^d Gregory Esq
 fo[]mer Church Wardens of this Parish Meet the Next
 Vestry [] Settle & Acc^t. for all Money that may have come
 into their hands for the use of the Churches

Ordered that John Patterson Esq^r be requested to purchase
 a Record Book for the use of the Church & that Rich^d Gregory

Esq^r late Church Warden be requested to [] With him for the same

The Vestry being informed that John Patterson Esq^r [] fuses to Subscribe as Vestryman agreeable to his Election

Ordered that Rich^d Wiatt be appointed Vestryman [] this Parish in his stead & that the Clerk make known [] the said Wiatt his s^a Appointment

[] dered that Francis Armistead be Appointed Tresurer [] this Parish

Armistead Smith Minis.

John Cary Clk Protem

At a Court held for Gloucester County the 5. day of Feb^r 1784

Ordered that the Vestry of Kingston Parish in this County divide the said Parish into so many precincts as to them shall seem most convenient for procefsioning every persons Lands within the said Parish and appoint particular times between the last day of March next and the last day of September following when the procefsioning shall be made in every precinct and also appoint two intelligent Honest freeholders of every precinct to see the Procefsioning perform'd and to take and return to the s^a Vestry an Account of every persons land th[] procefsion and of the persons present at th[] and of what lands in their precinct they sha[] procefsion and of the particular reasons for []

Copy. C. Pry[]

Note: The above entry—which sufficiently explains itself—was written upon a scrap of old laid paper, six by eight inches, which was later pasted upon a sheet of ordinary, modern white paper, six by ten inches. It was found lying in, but not attached to, the Kingston Parish Vestry Book.—C. G. C.

APPENDIX

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CLERGYMEN

The following list contains the names of the ministers (Incumbents of the Parish and temporary supply preachers), who served, or were elected to serve, Kingston Parish between 1680 and 1796. The numeral (in parentheses) preceding the clergyman's name indicates the number of the page on which the name first appears. The date (in parentheses) following the name indicates the year in which the clergyman's name is first mentioned in this book.

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| (2) | Zyperus, Mychaell (1680) |
| (7) | Boker, James (1690) |
| (23) | Blacknall, John (1740) |
| (40) | Dickson, John (1749) |
| (41) | Locke, Richard (1749) |
| (43) | Dixon, John (1750) |
| (91) | Baker, Thomas (1770) |
| (94) | Feilde, Thos. (1770) |
| (110) | Read, Robert (1778) |
| (112) | Reade, Thos. (1778) |
| (115) | McBride, James (1783) |
| (118) | Matthews, John (1783-4) |
| (118) | Fontaine (1783-4) |
| (119) | Hopkinson, Thomas (1784) |
| (122) | McBride, James (1786-elected) |
| (126) | Smith, Armistead (1792) |
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The following list contains the names of clergymen who offered themselves unsuccessfully as candidates for the Incumbency of Kingston Parish:

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| (94) | Baker, Thomas (1770) |
| (94) | Hamilton, Arthur (1770) |
| (94) | Avens, Archibald (1770) |
| (110) | Dunlop, William (1778) |
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CLERKS OF THE VESTRY

The following list contains the names of the Clerks of the Vestry of Kingston Parish between 1679 and 1796:

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|-------|----------------------|
| (2) | Axe, George* (1679) |
| (13) | Bolton, Henry (1701) |
| (24) | Brookes, Wm. (1740) |
| (44) | Davis, John (1750) |
| (114) | James, Thos. (1783) |
| (126) | Smith, Thos. (1792) |
| (127) | Cary, John (1793) |
| (130) | James, Thos. (1796) |
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PHYSICIANS

The following list contains the names of the physicians mentioned in this book:

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| (28) | Roche (1742) |
| (29) | Symmer, John (1743) |
| (42) | Whiting, Peter (1750) |
| (50) | Asselin (1753) |
| (81) | Johnson, George (1765) |
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| (107) | Jones, Edw. S. (1776) |

* With regard to George Axe it is interesting to note that in 1671 a man of the same name was serving as "Reader" (Clerk) of Pyanck-atancke Church in the neighboring Parish of Christ Church, Middlesex County, and that from this date until Nov. 5, 1678, he seems to have served as clerk in two or three other churches and chapels in the parish. After 1678 his name appears no more in the Christ Church Parish records. See *The Vestry Book of Christ Church Parish, Middlesex County, Virginia*, 1663-1767.—C. G. C.

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